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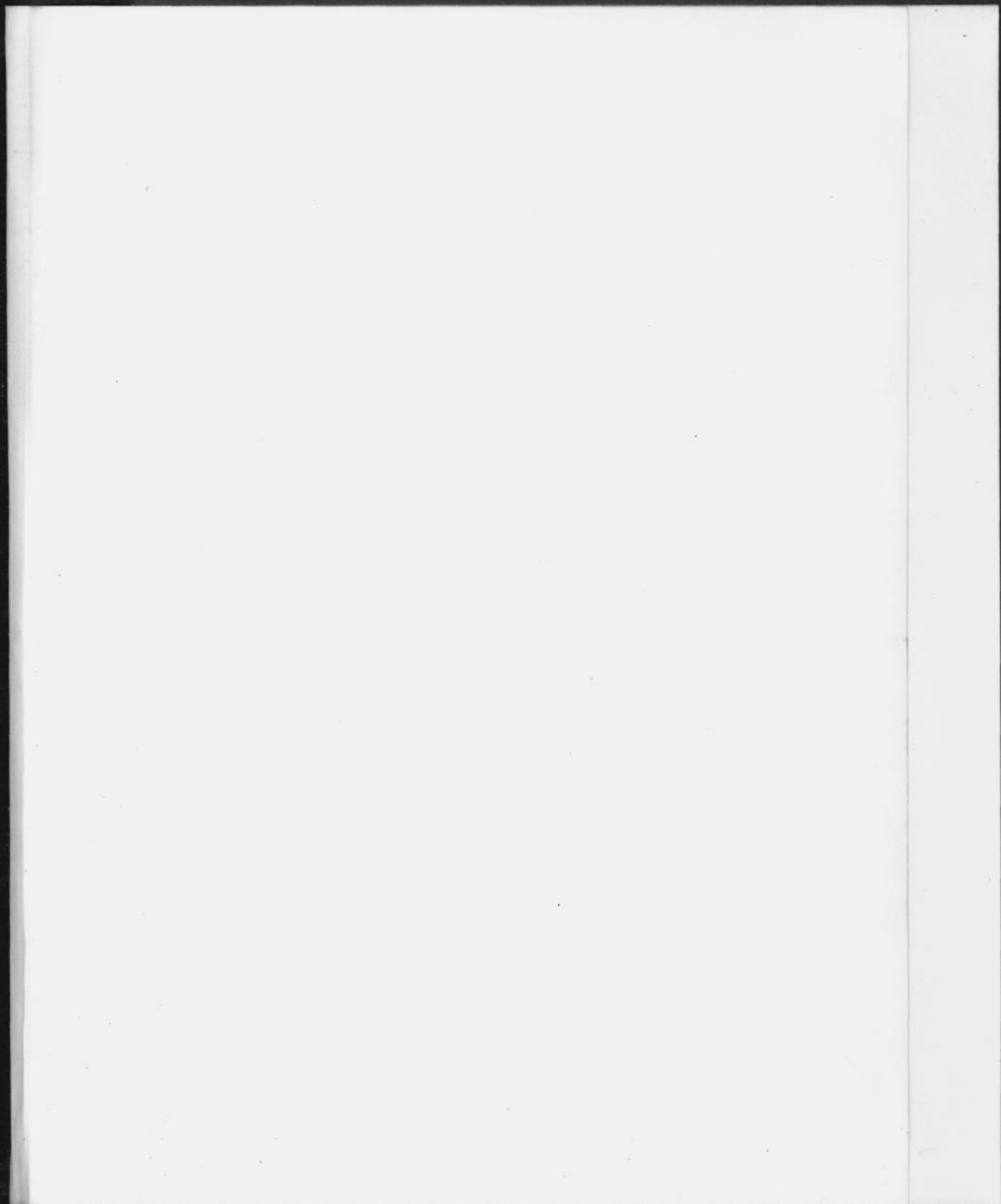
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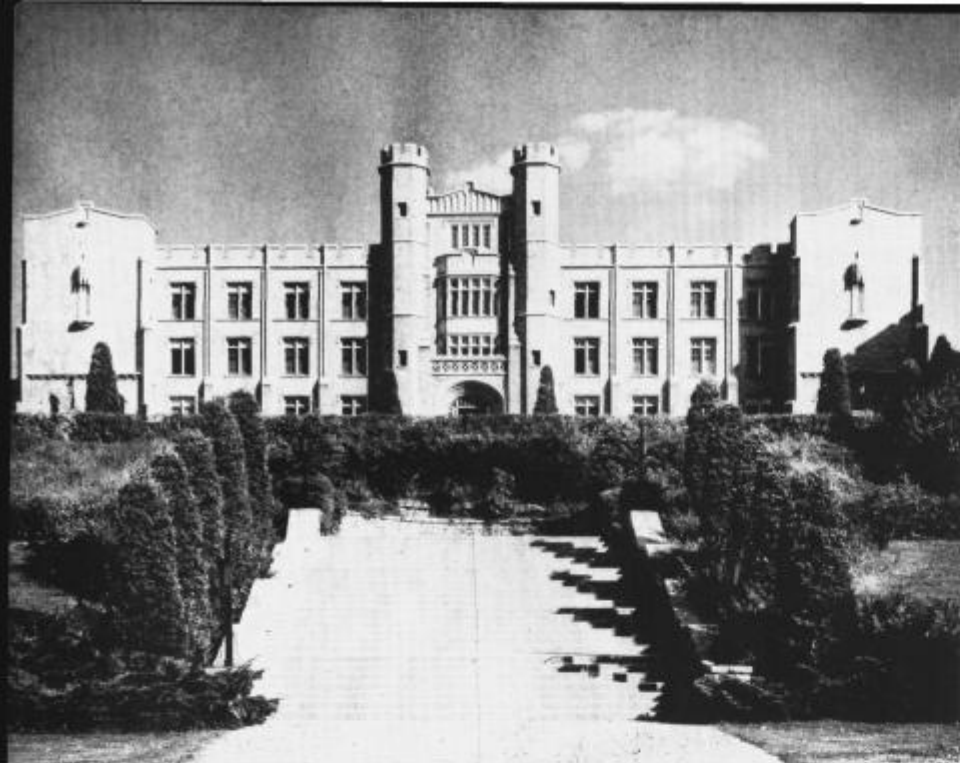
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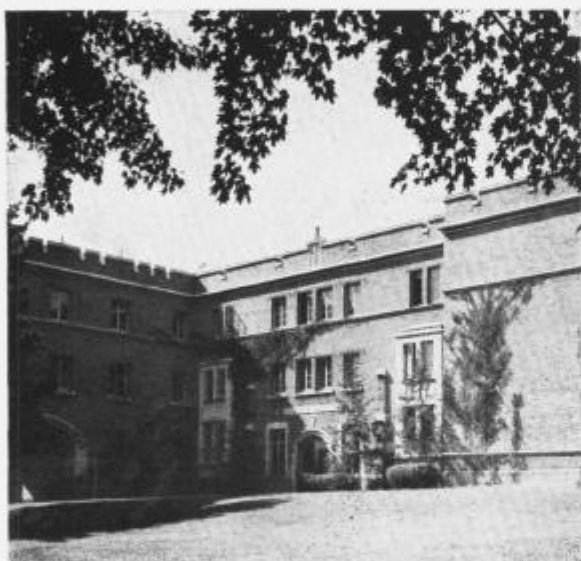


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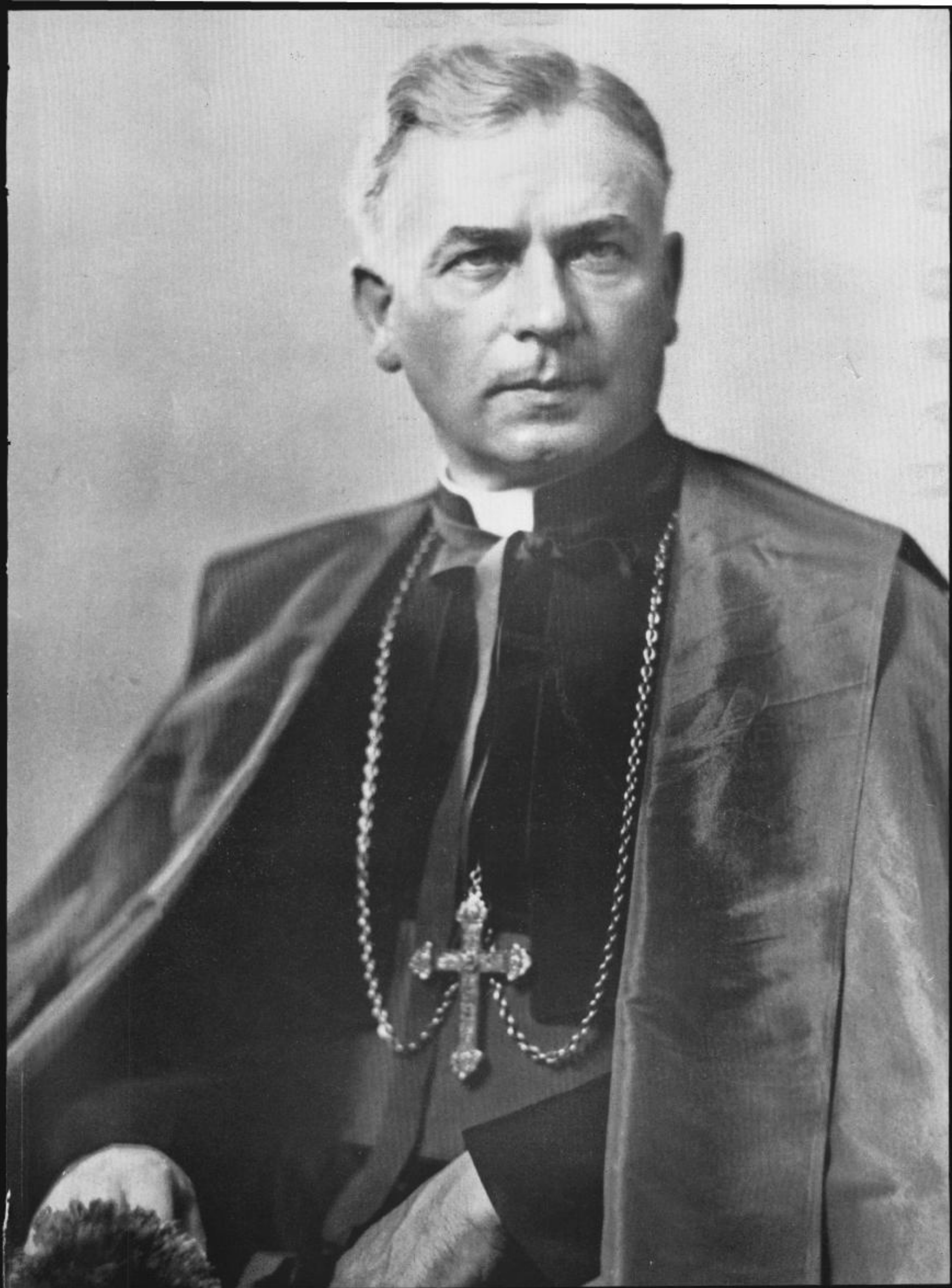
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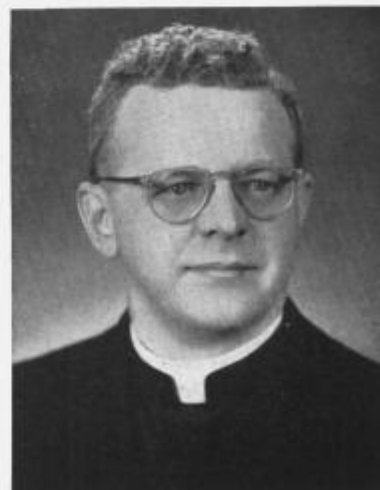


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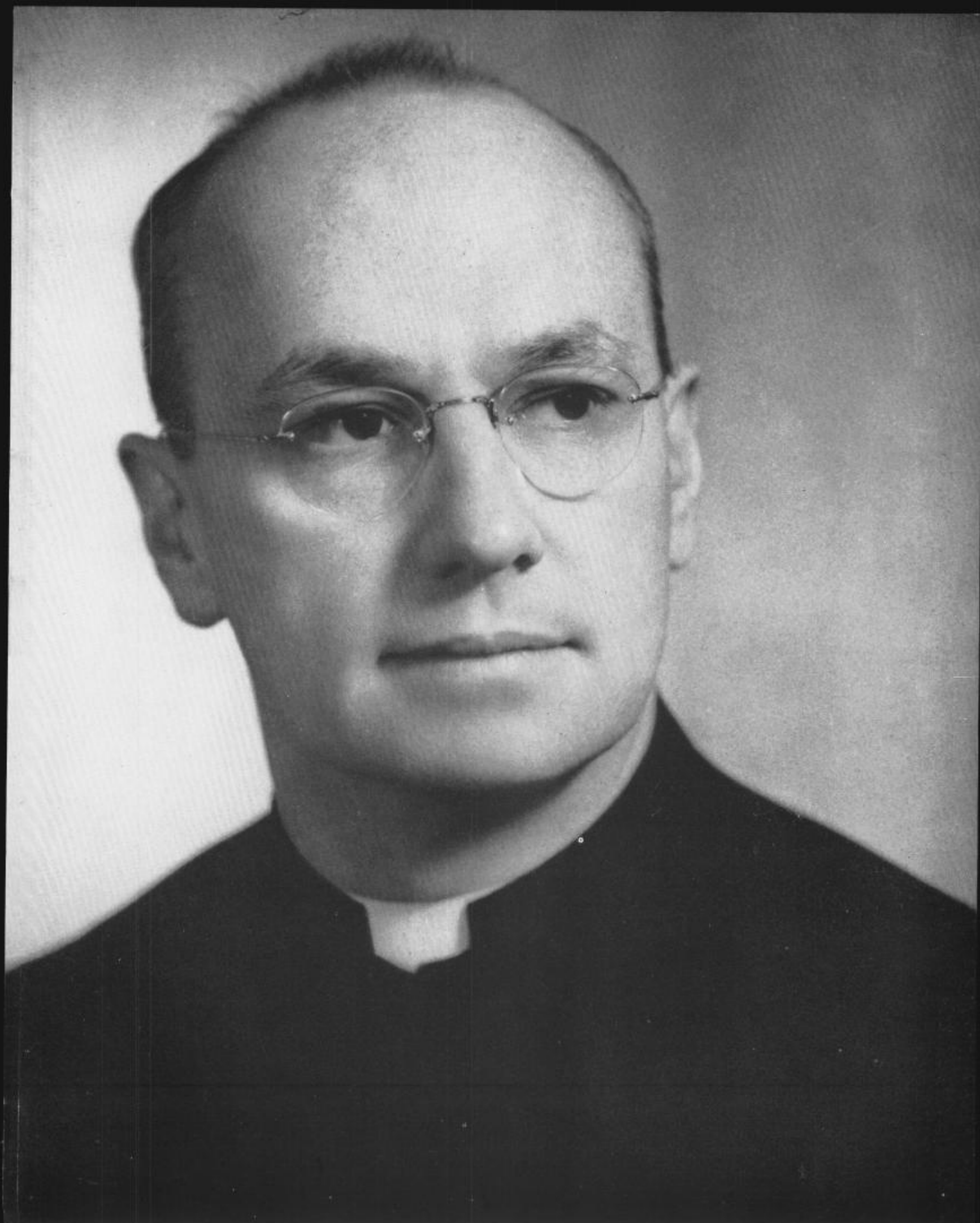
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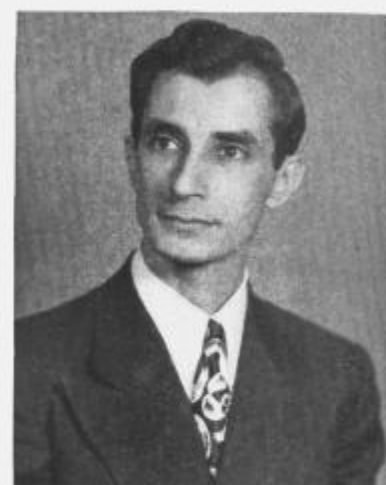


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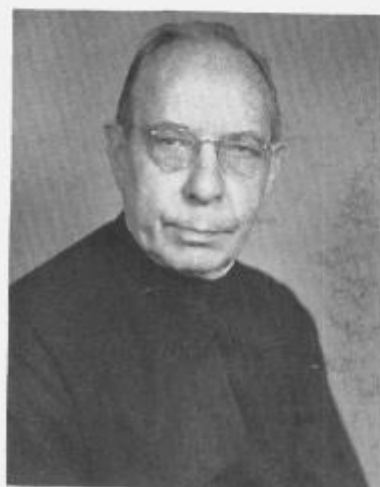
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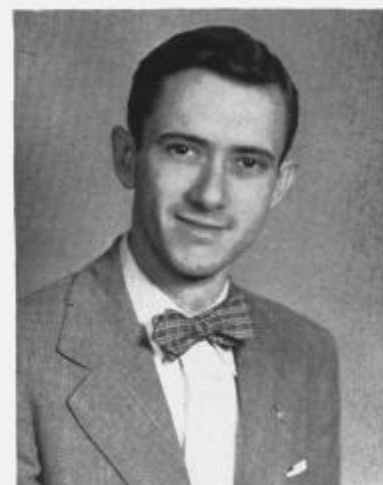


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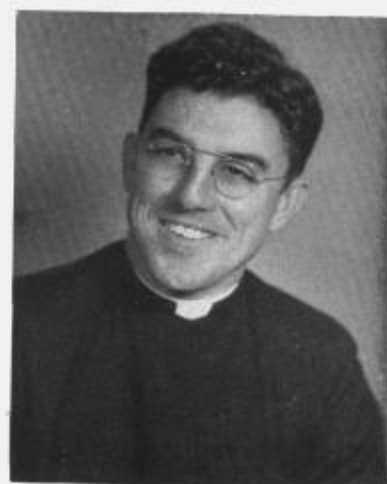
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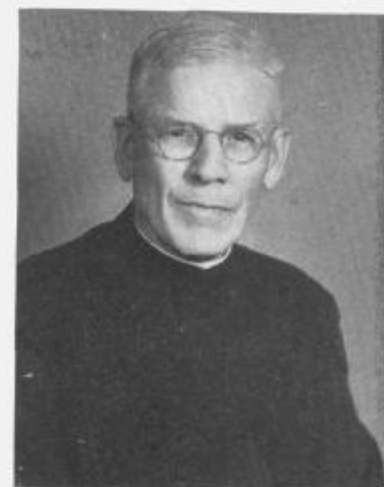


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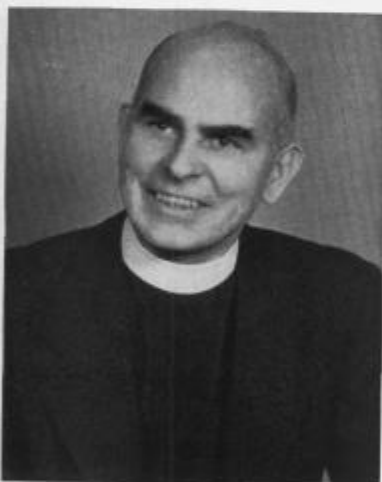


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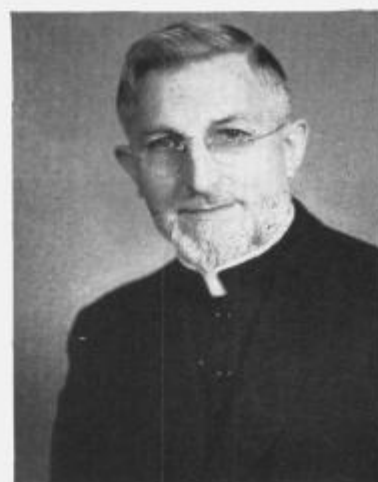




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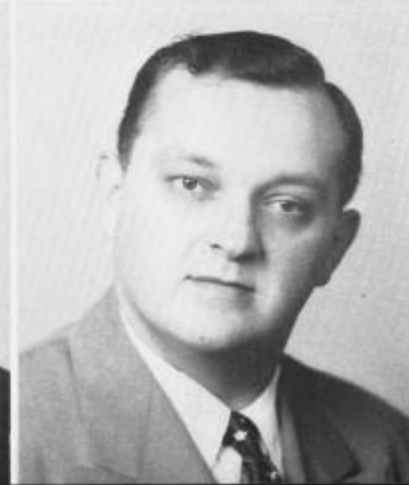


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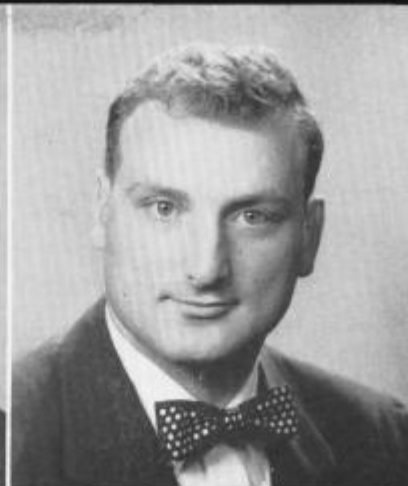




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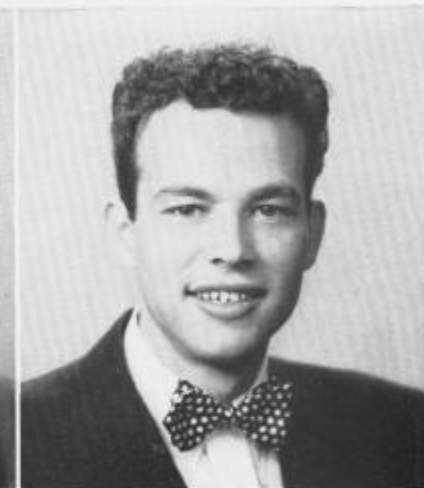
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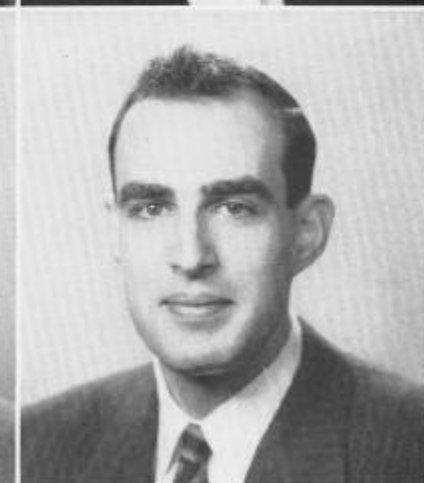
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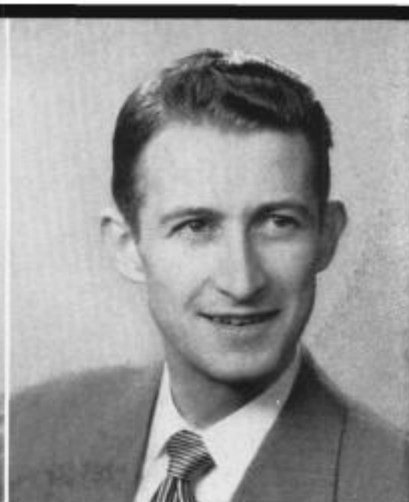
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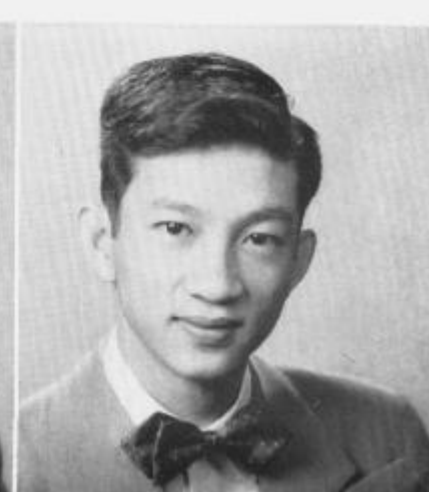
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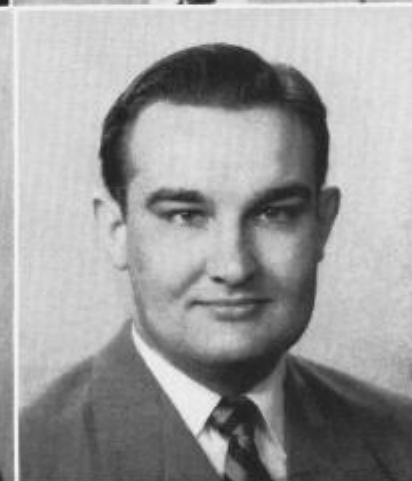
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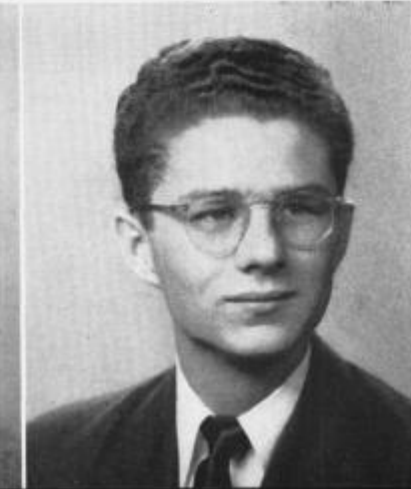
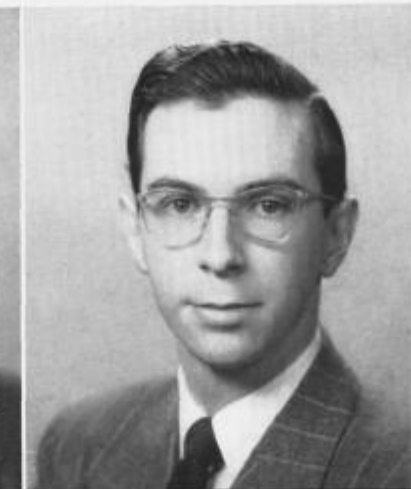


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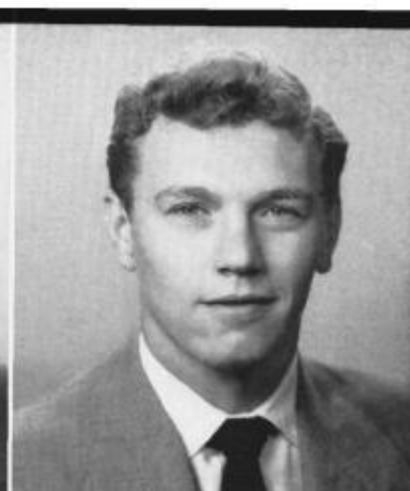
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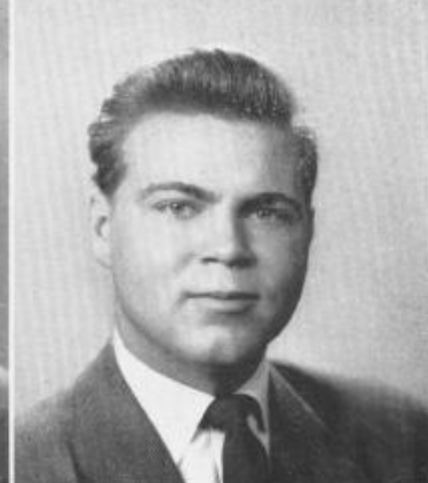
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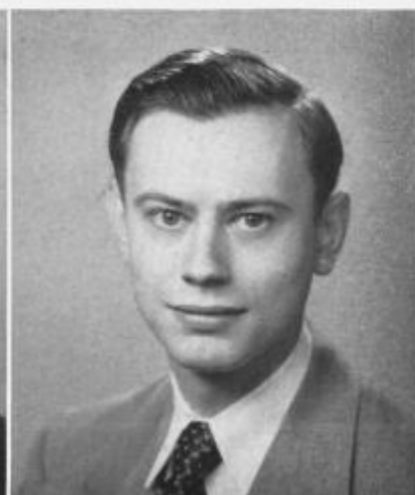
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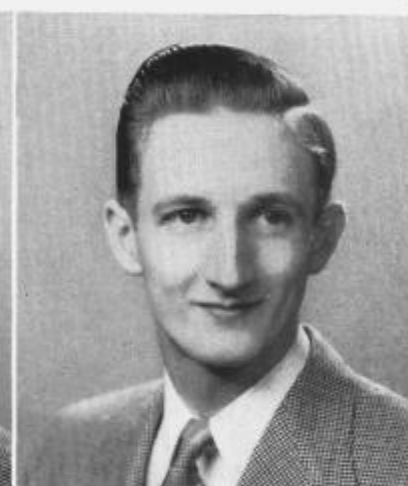
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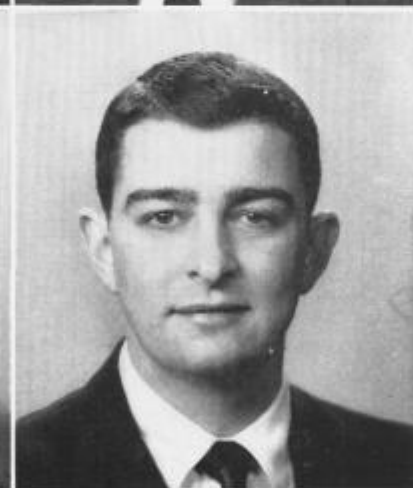


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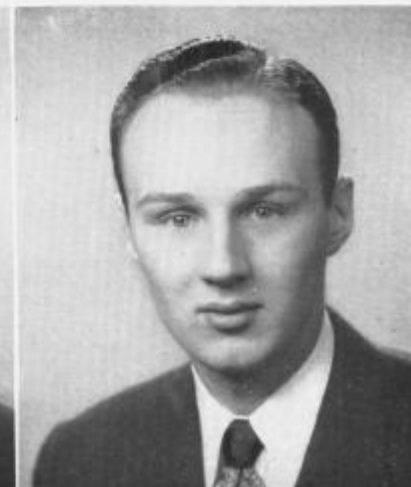


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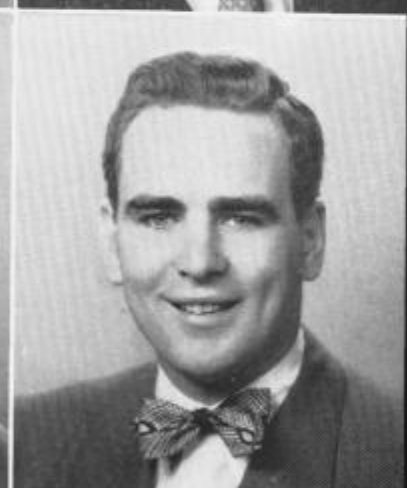
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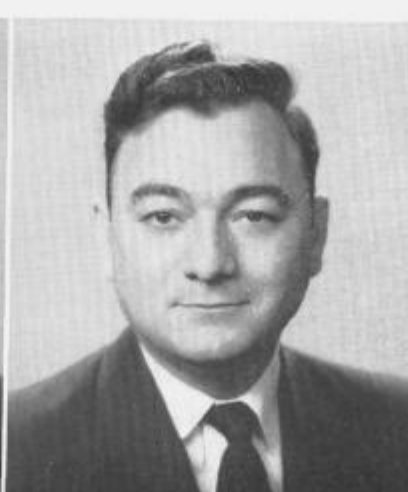
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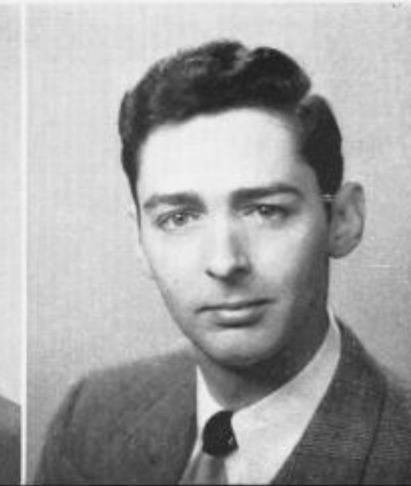
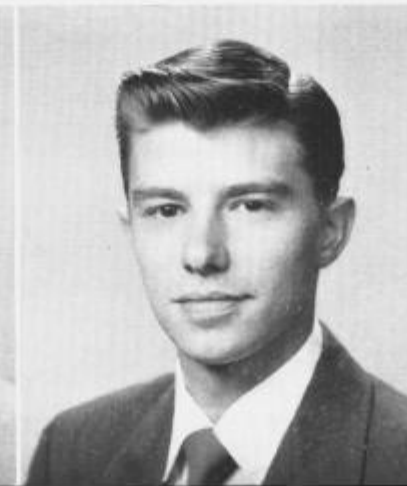


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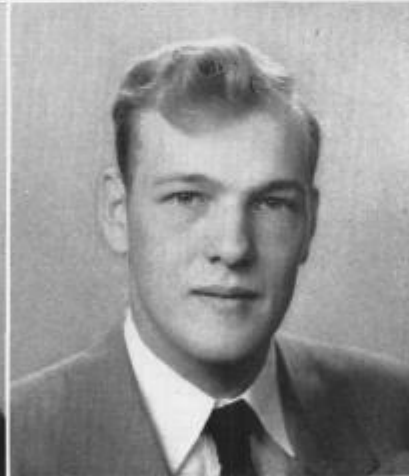
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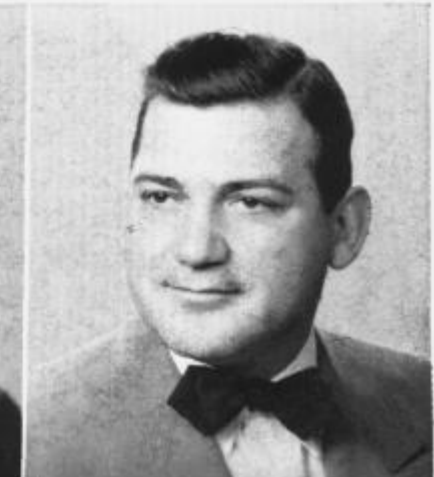
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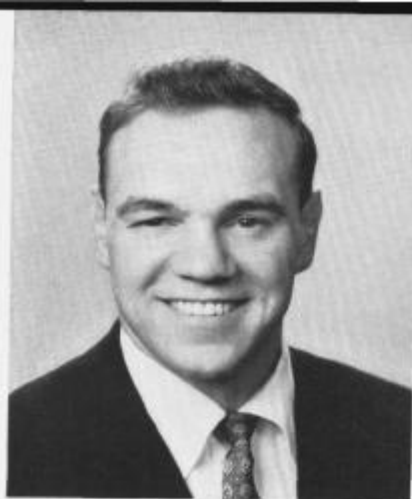


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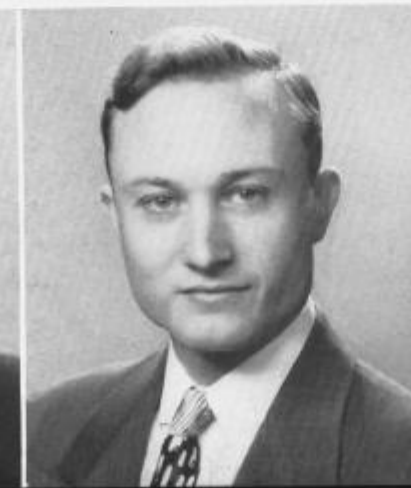


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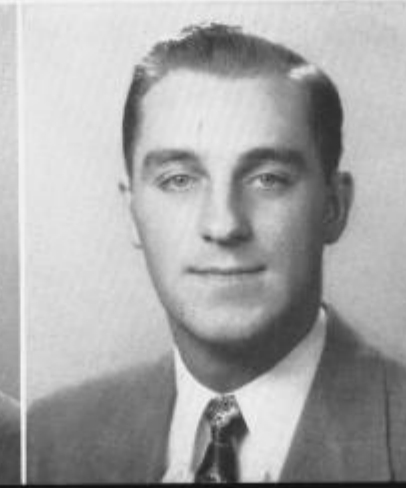
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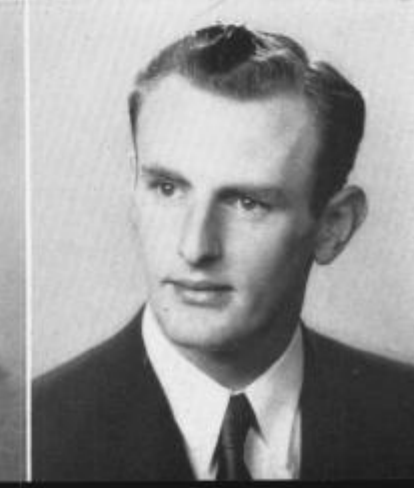
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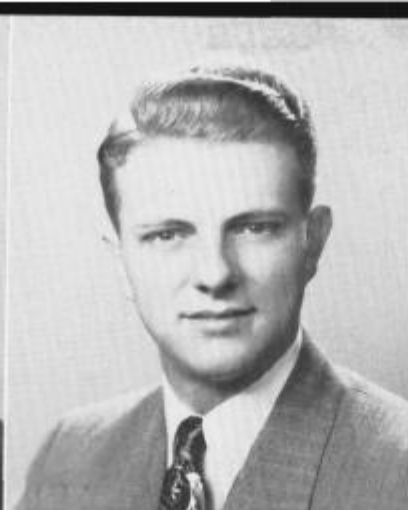


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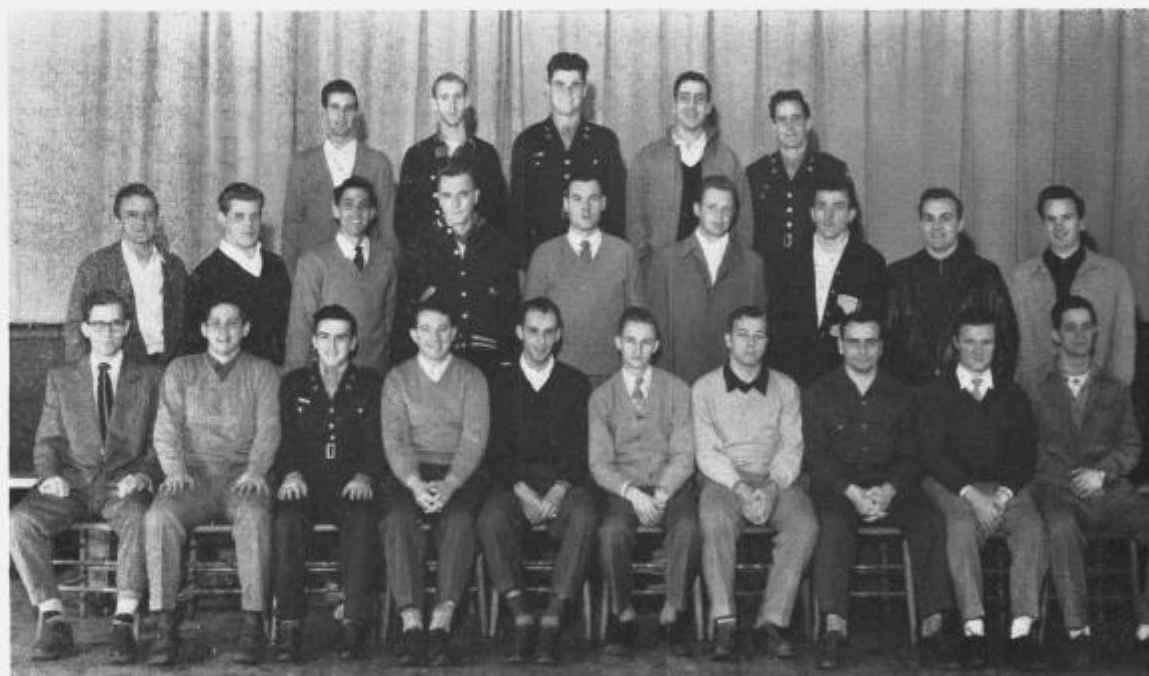






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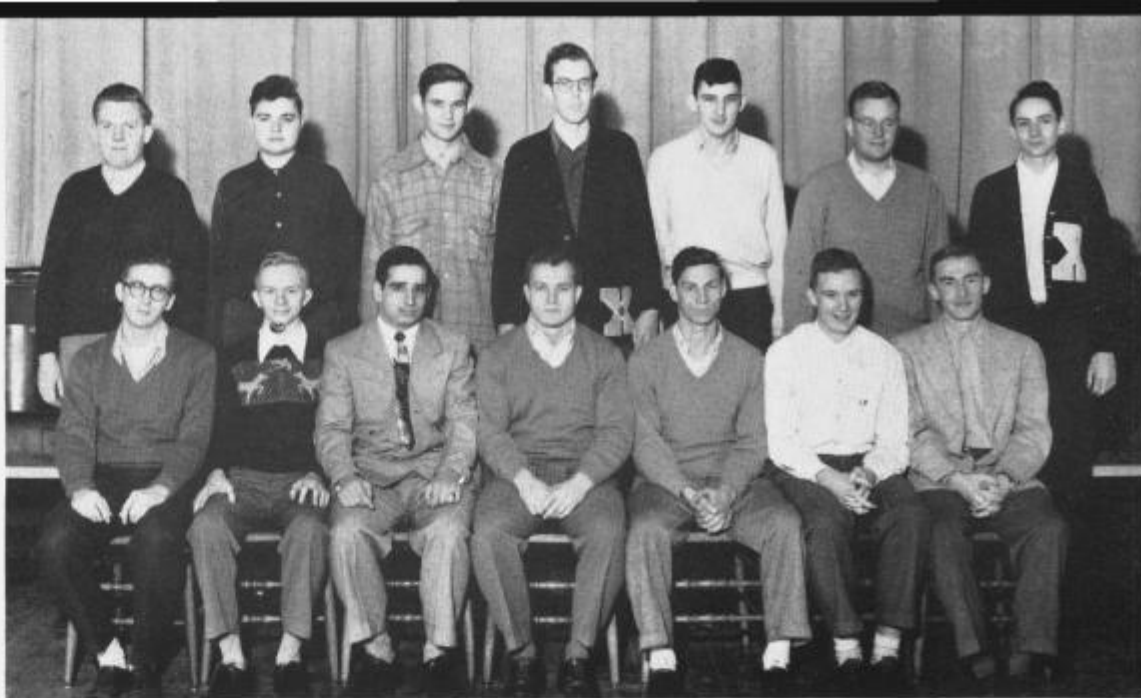


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Williams. First Row: Gabel, Schottel-  
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Stalker, Ausdenmoore, Schlanser,  
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Top Row: Wilton, Koenig, Sadtler, Bulger, Dillon, Flesch, Moser, Hils. Second Row: Tully, Burns, Schneider, Hoffer, Hemmer, Gessing, Schmitz, Duff. First Row: Boehle, Fujihara, Breslin, Lamb, Nacrelli, Russell, Connelly, McGann.

Top Row: Santangelo, Schapker, Ryan, Shanahan, Klein, Nolan, Barbalas. First Row: Stenger, O'Connell, Schaaf, Moore, Rettig, Miltz, Hogan, Fisher, Sweeney.



Top Row: Lippert, Nieman, Stieger, Murray, Butler. First Row: Cordes, Consiglio, Willke, Walsh, Klekamp.

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Top Row: Oker, Koenig, Rickard, Campbell, Walker, Volz. Second Row: Sarahatsannis, Kunkernoeller, Carr, Schlueter, Williams, Glandorf, Ruether. First Row: Matheis, Evans, Langefels, Fehr, Blank, Gretchen, Powell, Powers, Wolf, Beck.

Top Row: Wenstrup, Knecht, Hauser, Coors, O'Donnell, Jones, Grady, Huster, Eckerle, Schuermann. Second Row: Ernst, Siles, Sweeney, Gessing, Schneider, Rice, Schutte, Baele, Emerson, Schmidt. First Row: Tuke, Haering, Garrigan, Gormley, Palmisano, Grainger, Phillippe, Hausman, Bruemmer.







Top Row: Flaherty, Morgan, Schoenberger, Kelly, Dearwater, Cloud, Fellerhoff, Budde, Waddell, Dickenson, Fellerhoff, Koehler, Gelderman, Schuh. Second Row: Sage, Heavern, Judy, Hauser, Shields, Austin, Hughes, Uhlfelder, Flick, Byrne, Bens, Way, Walls. First Row: Horwath, Sadd, Pope, White, Gagliardo, Cassidy, Conway, Sacinak, Deitsch, Ambrosiano.

Top Row: Hackman, Schaefer, Weber, Weinle, Gunning, Sikorski, Skole, Erno, Kinsella, Fagin, Spraul, Kelley, Huseman. Second Row: Metz, Kispert, Burns, Rieman, Hils, Bunning, Kautz, Shea, Gilmartin, Brennan. First Row: Spraul, Zenni, Milicia, Burtanger, Wernke, Frondorf, Cosgrove, Donovan, Galownia, Parise, Conway.



Top Row: Hitzman, Lindemann, Schmitz, Rapier, Gast, Weber, Riegert, Hayes, Helmers, Bernhardt, Brockman, Goheen, Powers, Schomaker, O'Toole. Second Row: Dulle, Bolte, Brown, Bolger, Dillon, Meyer, Meredith, Auberger, Carr, Margerum, Hauser, Luebke, Litkowski. First Row: Cronin, Geiser, Murray, Reitz, Dunbar, Spelz, Poynter, Dasbach, Jacob, Weghorn, McGovern.

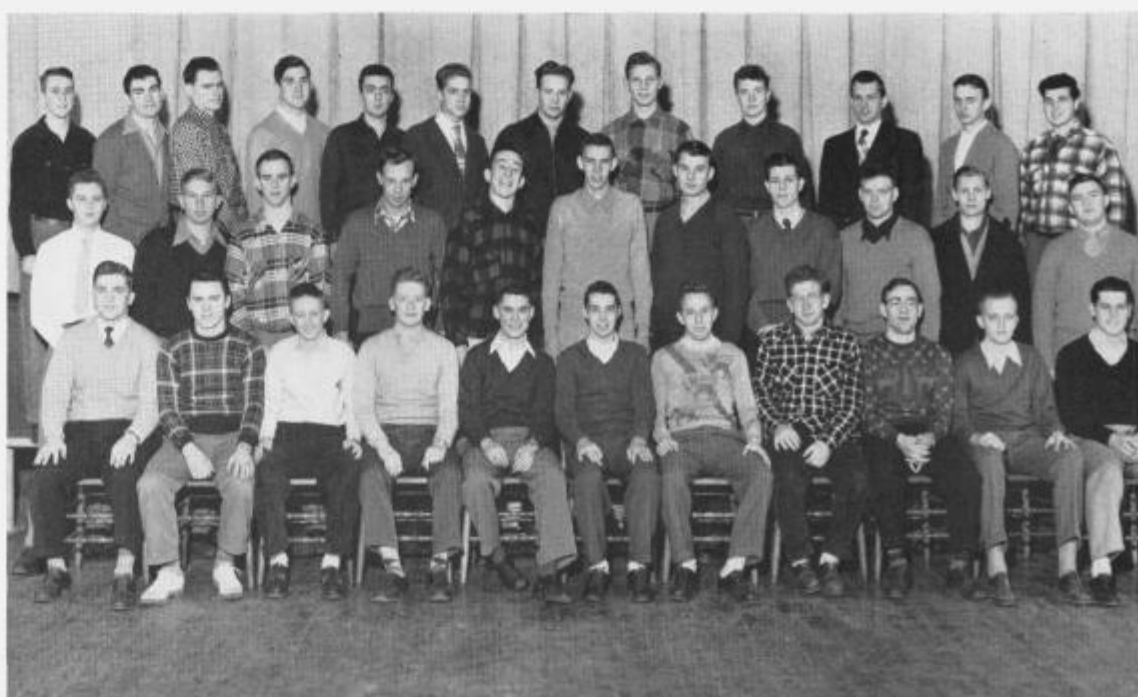


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Top Row: Fricker, Kelly, Fleming, Stubbers, Soldati, Hargadon, Jones, Pasquarella, O'Brien, DeChant, Lorenz, Barnhorn, Plageman, Cleary. Second Row: Lammert, Weingartner, Joyce, Campbell, Driscoll, Rohrer, Jacober, Janszen, Phelan, Senker, Kammer, White, Gluhm, Darst, Corey. First Row: Blesi, Henke, Haas, Edelmann, Bath, Gale, Kolb, Dillhoff, Sedler, Roetting.

Top Row: Byrne, Byrne, St. John, McDevitt, Brockwell, Fishburn, Gregolynskyj, Hecler, Butler, Biehl, McGuire, Geraci. Second Row: Reis, Huxel, Jaworski, Witsken, Sayre, Hopkins, Cravaack, McGrath, Blandford, Miller, Rolsen. First Row: Timperman, McCarthy, Ringstaff, Roll, Schrimpf, Duffy, Sensel, Brady, Vetter, Vollman, Dollries.





Top Row: Marquard, Trivilino, Link, Tobin, Moultney, Williams, Jung, Hess, George, McGrath, Wilson. Second Row: Rizzo, Hustmeyer, Chandler, Gruneissen, Comerford, Thom, Seeley, Schill, Von Hoven, Marx. First Row: Gauthier, Huber, Trautman, Goodwin, Stine, Voor, Laudeman, Grissman, Conway, West.

Top Row: Longshore, Snyder, Long, Breitenbach, Kelleher, Moeller, Piet, Broderick, Todia, Austin, Nieder, Schaefer. Second Row: Rapier, Wadyka, Gillig, Helmers, Spalding, Sherlock, Boggs, Pierron, Donovan, Stoeckinger, Snider, Donlan. First Row: Mohr, Kiley, Broderick, Hoffman, Thompson, Wenker, Simes, Smith, Paul, McClanahan, Arbino.



Top Row: Nerone, Whittle, Degaro, Niehoff, Bedinghaus, Wilking, Wieschorster, Hingsbergen, Misleh, Rolf, Fisher, Carson, Francis, McGee, Mandelbaum, Fitzpatrick, Rudd, Marck. Second Row: Staubach, Niehaus, Hayes, Massa, Fitzpatrick, Santen, Smith, Rappoport, Walter, O'Neill, Greenwell, Lamb, Heimkreiter, Weist, Ortman. First Row: Tillar, Casale, Kneidl, Hessling, Khayat, DeCarlo, Cowan, Hushion, Sammon, Passalacqua, Skinner, Ruwe, Eilerson.

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schutz, Randolph, Conway, Gleeson,  
Powell. Second Row: Gardner, Fellers,  
Meyer, Blank, Burger, Jeanmougin,  
Stegman, Loftus, Gerding. First Row:  
Hater, Cain, Bova, Ehrhart, Evans,  
Gilligan, Costa, Crean, Evans, Boeck-  
ley.



## In Memoriam



Dr. Raymond W. Porter, former professor of psychology and education at Xavier, died on December 11 at St. Francis Hospital. Dr. Porter taught at the University from 1947 to 1949.

Six students of the University passed away since the last Musketeer was published. In June, 1950, Harry Roeder-sheimer died in the Veterans' Hospital at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, probably as the result of a service-induced condition. He had attended both the Evanston and the Downtown College. His widow and two children survive him.

Donald J. Steltenkamp was fatally injured in an automobile crash on August 25. The accident occurred on a treacherous mountain road near Monterey, Mexico. Don was a member of the Clef Club, soloist on Xavier Presents, trackman, and football player.

Robert Mouilliet, a freshman, was killed in an automobile accident on October 31, when the car in which he was riding struck a tree off Springdale Road. The eighteen-year-old Roger Bacon graduate and grid star was a candidate for Student Council.

In the same accident Henry Kempe was fatally injured. A graduate of Roger Bacon High School, he was attending the Downtown College during the 1950-51 term.

Frank Schnedl was the fifth Xavier student to die in 1950. Frank, a senior, died in Good Samaritan Hospital after a short illness. He was registered for a B.S. degree in chemistry.

William Post, a Downtown College student who was scheduled to receive his certificate in June, '51, died unexpectedly on March 27. He was a veteran of World War II, and is survived by his widow and one child.

REQUIESCANT IN PACE.

# Activities







Standing: Satzger, Powers, Mooney, DeCarlo, Gallagher, Rammacher, Charles, Morse, Schaefer, Spraul. Seated: McGann, Barron, Linn, Waddell, Jacobs, Keefe, Helmers.

## Student Council

Student opinion is manifested and is formed through the Student Council. Composed of twenty-one members, Council has four representatives from each class. Additional councilmen, through election or appointment, act as the chairmen of particular committees: the Social Committee, the Judicial Board, the Student Athletic Board, and the Campus Committee.

Almost all student activities are carried out to some degree by Council. Functions sponsored exclusively by the Council were the freshman week mixer program; the pep rallies; the frosh-soph hop; Home-

coming activities; the freshman elections; informal dances; junior and senior proms; and the student directory.

Officers were James McGann, president; Dennis Barron, vice-president; Frank Mooney, secretary; William Charles, treasurer; Robert Satzger, chairman of the Social Committee; Albert Moser, chief justice of the Judicial Board; Edward Nock, president of the Campus Committee; and William Folzenlogon, chairman of the Student Athletic Board. Mr. Irvin Beumer was faculty director during the first semester, and Mr. Walter Behler in the second semester.



Nock, Helmkamp, Zain, Burns, Smith, Riebel.

## Campus Committee

Work is the by-word of the Campus Committee. Its members have an inexhaustible capacity for assisting in all campus endeavors.

Achievements include the bus to the Miami football game; the dance in honor of the football team; the sponsorship of an intramural football league; the combined free movie and party for campus residents; the inauguration of a Rosary crusade during October; the Christmas dance in South Hall; complete cooperation with the Xavier News and the Student Council on the Angelus Crusade; and

suitable movies for dorm students every Sunday during Lent.

The committee concentrated on revamping South Hall this year. This project consisted of building new tables, purchasing and installation of new lighting fixtures, and laying a new floor in the Pioneer Room. The Dads Club gave financial assistance.

Officers were Edward Nock, president; Walter Krasniewski, judge advocate; Faris Zain, secretary; and Thomas Sage, treasurer. The Rev. Lester Linz, S.J., served as faculty consultant.





Milostan, Bacci, Dasbach, Shields.

## Varsity X Club

X marks the spot--closest to a Xavier athlete's heart; for the coveted letter identifies its wearer as a Xavier man who has distinguished himself in the field of competitive sport. Moreover, it is the magic symbol that initiates him into a fellowship among the great in Xavier's athletic history, a symbol that will link him with the future as well as with the present and the past.

The Varsity X Club came into existence in 1921 for the purpose of emphasizing high ideals in athletic competition. Its founders also were fulfilling a natural

desire to perpetuate friendships made on the fields of sports. Lettermen who have found on the gridiron, the hardwood, the diamond--in every form of athletic contest--the spirit of All for One and One for All are joined in a comradeship that is not easily dissolved.

Upon graduation members automatically join the ranks of the graduate X Club. They assist their older associates in promoting the Jamboree, the annual Homecoming, and other events. The group meets at regular intervals off campus to discuss athletic affairs of the University.





#### ON STAGE! MASQUE ACTORS AND KIBITZERS

Clockwise: Stine, Herrlinger, Faurot, Noonan, Linn, Ausdenmoore, Bacci, Nock, Ryan, Behrens, Schwertman, Rossfelder, Bauer.

## Masque Society

For its activities during 1950-51 the Masque Society presented two full-length plays and one evening of one-act plays. On three nights in November members of the Society presented *Brother Orchid*, by Leo Brady. It was another triumph for the Society's competent director, Mr. Victor Dial.

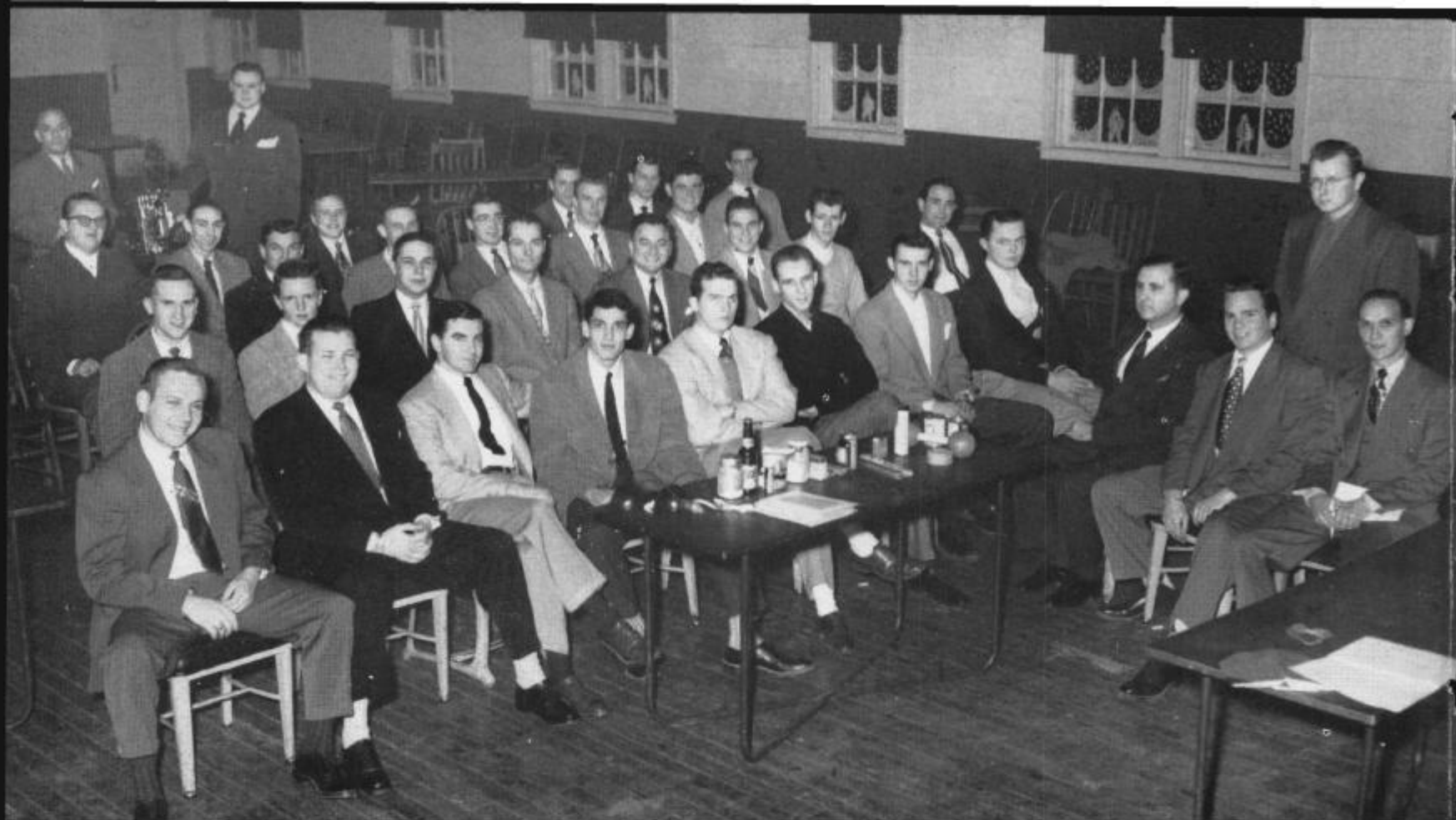
The one-act plays were produced in the following month, and included an original piece, *There Goes the Parade*, written by Mr. William Schulte, graduate assistant in speech.

Mid-April brought a matinee and three-night run for the Society's production of Thornton Wilder's *Our Town*, and this interesting drama was presented under the direction of Mr. Schulte.

The Masquers' annual banquet was held in May. Gold keys were awarded to sixteen students who had achieved full membership in the Society by their participation in the year's plays.

In May a chapter of the national dramatic fraternity Alpha Psi Omega was established. Fourteen alumni and undergrads were admitted to membership in the Mu Tau (Xavier) chapter.

Masque officers for 1950-51 were Paul Bauer, president; James Glenn, Jr., vice-president; and Naomi Mondiek, secretary-treasurer. Mr. Dial was the Society's faculty advisor as well as dramatic director.



#### ECONOMICS CLUB MEETS FOR A LECTURE DEMONSTRATION AND FILM

First Row: Eilerson, Dugan, Byrne, Shields, Ryan, Yurt, Waddell, Quinlin, Guest Speaker Meeks, Healy, King, Hendker. Second Row: Clott, Siemers, Hardig, Werner, Metz, Kispert, Fox, Wilke. Third Row: Kenning, Nerswick, Kelley, Gessing, Dell. Fourth Row: Basler, DuBois, Low, Kronner, Hyatt, Hannan. At Projector: Faculty Advisor Murray and Bischoff.

## Economics Club

The Economics Club, founded in 1933 as the Commerce Club, met monthly to hear Cincinnati business men discuss current matters of business and subjects related to it.

Among those who appeared before the Club during 1950-51 were Mr. Stephen Krupa, district manager of the Hoover Company; Mr. Robert Prentis, personnel manager of the Formica Company; Mr. Larry Meeks of the Food and Drug Administration.

In addition to the meetings held on campus, the Club held its annual picnic in Sharon Woods in May. It also was represented by a float in the Homecoming parade.

Officers of the Economics Club were Paul Healy, president; Thomas Bischoff, secretary; and John Hendker, treasurer. John DuBois was chairman of the social committee, and Mel Kelley was chairman of the membership committee. Mr. Edward Murray acted as faculty advisor.



Top Row: Hils, Hamm, Milostan, Faurot, Kammer, Gruneisen, Ryan, Corey. First Row: Caverly, Ching, Harrington, Mayhall, Rapien, Wright, Khayat.

## Accounting Society

For the second consecutive year the Accounting Society won the debate sponsored by the Cincinnati Chapter of the National Association of Cost Accountants. Xavier speakers, Ray Riestenberg, William Rapien, and Herbert Berding, upheld the negative of this subject: Resolved: That the economic or replacement value of fixed assets should be the basis used for depreciation in arriving at net income from operations. Other schools participating were the University of Cincinnati and Miami University.

At the Society's meetings addresses were given by prominent accountants: Mr. Harry Sonkin, partner, Alexander Grant and Company, Chicago; Mr. Wilbur Fulton, vice-president, Cincinnati

Branch of the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland; Mr. K. Y. Siddall, comptroller, Procter and Gamble Company; Mr. Frank W. Brinker of Frank W. Brinker and Company; Mr. George Hotopp, deputy collector, U. S. Treasury Department of Internal Revenue; Mr. Carter Jones, Cincinnati manager, Charles R. Hadley Company of Los Angeles; Mr. J. Tracy Kropp, Cincinnati manager, Peat, Marwick, Mitchell and Company of New York; Mr. Berl Graham, member of the Ohio State Board of Accountancy and partner of the Gano and Cherrington Company.

Officers of the society were Bruce Mayhall, president; Ray Riestenberg, vice-president; Leo Heitker, secretary; and William Harrington, treasurer. Mr. George Selzer was faculty advisor.





Top Row: Snider, Kelleher, Tierney, Studer, Felthag, Stemle, Curry, Lovell, Voet. Seated: Tenn, Diehl, Fitzgerald, Fenner, Collopy, Munroe, Springman. Kneeling: Bohnert, Schmidt, Kraus, Chang.

## Alchemist Club

Under the leadership of Dr. John Nobis, the Alchemist Club was founded in 1948. Its membership has increased steadily, and its activities have made the organization one of the more active clubs on the campus. With justifiable pride the group holds membership in the American Chemical Society as an affiliate chapter.

The Club's activities are varied. Meetings, held every Monday, conclude with a technical movie or a lecture. The Alchemist float in the Homecoming parade was a masterpiece of originality and ingenuity. Members also took advantage

of an opportunity to tour the Hilton-Davis Chemical Company.

The calendar of social events included a banquet in the fall, a spring symposium, and a picnic. Sports also had a place in the Club's program. Memorable, to say the least, are the rock-em-sockem football, basketball, and baseball tussles, which pitted the graduates in chemistry against the undergraduates.

Officers were Thomas Collopy, president; Horace Tenn, vice-president; Justin Diehl, secretary; Walter Fenner, treasurer; and Richard Overberg, social chairman. Faculty director was Dr. Joseph Klingenberg.





Standing: Murray, Hils, Ahlrichs, Kinsella. Seated: Griffin.

## Psychology Club

Although the Psychology Club is one of the newer organizations on the campus, it operated effectively in its first year of existence. Primarily it strives to supplement the curricular requirements of those who major or minor in psychology with additional experience. The Club furnishes greater opportunity for the observation of practical methods and operations of psychology.

To achieve its aims the Club made several field trips in addition to meeting monthly. Trips included a visit to the Homicide Bureau, an afternoon with the County Coroner, and an inspection tour of the Longview Mental Hospital.

Five speakers who appeared at the Club's meetings during the year included Rev. Murtha Boylan, S.J., Rev. Louis Weitzman, S.J., Dr. Herbert Schwartz, Mr. Edward Cunningham of the Federal Probation Office, and Mrs. V. Edwards of the Juvenile Detention Home.

The Club participated in the Open House activities and entered a float in the Homecoming parade.

Officers were Robert Fox, president; James Ahlrichs, vice-president; and William Vetter, secretary-treasurer. Dr. Ignatius Hamel was the faculty consultant.



Standing: Griffin, Voor, Marquard, Tobin, Bourne, Francis, Powers, Maurer. Seated: Spraul, Johnson, Burns, Gleason, Sweeney, Najjar, Yoshimoto.

## Sodality

The principal undergraduate religious activity in the Jesuit college is the Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Xavier's Sodality is especially dedicated to her Immaculate Conception.

Activity has been the key word of the Sodality this year. To apply its motto, To Jesus through Mary, many programs were carried out. Among these were the recitation of the Rosary every hour in the chapel; the Christmas drive for the poor; the May Day celebration; appropriate Lenten movies; promotion of the Knights of the Blessed Sacrament; the publication of the Morning Star (the Sodality newspaper); and catechetical and social work at the Santa Maria Institute.

The Sodality administered the Mariology Panel at the Marian Congress in Columbus, Ohio.

Weekly spiritual meetings are held along with special committee meetings. These activities include catechetical study, Catholic action, publicity, and discussions. Thus the Sodality provides the necessary means to an end in the spiritual life: To Jesus through Mary!

Officers of the Sodality were Paul Sweeney, prefect; Daniel Gleason, vice-prefect; Leo Burns, secretary; Basil Najjar, treasurer. The Rev. Francis Dietz, S.J., student counsellor, was spiritual director.



Standing: Felix, Marquard, Burns. Seated: Jacobs, Gleason, Darrah, Vogel.

## NFCUS

Xavier University has gained renown for its whole-hearted cooperation in the Cincinnati region of the National Federation of Catholic College Students. Xavier introduced the first permanent regional filing system. Included in activities of the chapter are the publication of a monthly newsletter and the maintenance of a publications office and record files for co-ordinating Xavier organizations.

Twelve colleges participated in the Regional Workshop held on the Xavier campus in October. Eleven panels deal-

ing with Catholic action were presented during the day.

An address by Mr. Albert D. Cash, Mayor of Cincinnati, featured the evening session. Registration figures showed an attendance of five hundred persons, most of whom attended the dance which was held in the Armory following the meeting.

Senior delegate of the Xavier group was James J. Ryan; junior delegate was Jack Bishop. Rev. Maurice Link, S.J., served as faculty advisor.





Standing: Saal, Nolan, Moore, Shanahan, Fisher. Seated: Spelz, Beeber, Lindemann, Bluemle, Litkowski, Palmisano.

## Family Relations Club

During 1950-51 the Family Relations Club of the Cincinnati Catholic colleges held meetings at the member schools--Xavier, Our Lady of Cincinnati College, Mount Saint Joseph College, and Villa Madonna College--to develop among students the Christian outlook on dating, courtship, and marriage. Through its pre-Cana committee, the Club sponsored a series of four Pre-Cana Conferences for thirty-five engaged couples. They heard a priest, two doctors, a married couple, and a psychiatrist discuss the spiritual, the physical, the economic, and the psychological aspects of married life.

The Club also worked in conjunction with the Xavier Family Life Institute to sponsor the 1950 and the 1951 Xavier Family Life Conferences, three-day

sessions at which leaders in the family apostolate discussed the various aspects of the themes, Vitalizing Christian Family Life, and Restoring the Family Circle.

Social activities followed most of the Club's meetings, but the outstanding events of the year were the annual autumn picnic, attended by more than two hundred students, and the spring banquet.

Xavier students who served as officers during the year were Paul Bluemle, president; Paul Palmisano, treasurer, and Dorothy Kaelin, pre-Cana conference committee chairman. Donald Beeber was chairman of the promotion subcommittee. Mr. Glynn Fraser was faculty advisor.





Standing: Waddell, Blank, Listerman, Mulvaney. Seated: Wade, Darrah, Ruether.

## Poland Philopedian Society

Highly esteemed among student groups on the campus is the Philopedian Society. The organization retains the name of its Jesuit founder, Father Poland, who initiated this activity at the University in 1841. Since that year the Society has been meeting weekly. Debates are held, and the most proficient members represent Xavier in debates with other colleges and universities.

The debaters participated in two major intercollegiate debates: the Kent State Tournament and the College of Our Lady of Cincinnati Invitational Debate Tournament. In the latter contest Xavier speakers captured first place by winning

five of six debates from such teams as Ohio State and the University of Cincinnati.

Other debates were scheduled against the University of Dayton and Mount Saint Joseph College, when *The Musketeer* '51 went to press. Two other tournaments to be entered are the Mary Washington College Tournament and the Carnegie Forensic Tournament.

Officers of the Society were Thomas McCoy, president; Herman Ruether, vice-president; Mathew Wade, secretary; William Listerman, treasurer; and George Darrah, chairman of debate. Mr. Philip Scharper was faculty director.



## Cleveland Club

Top Row: Saal, Haas, Todia, Stieger, Murray, Sammon, Moore, George. First Row: Marquard, Marquard, McGrath, Shea, Himmelman, Fisher, Consiglio, Winkler.

With a large migration of Cleveland men to the Xavier campus in 1949, the inevitable happened: a Cleveland Club was formed. Under the vigilant leadership of Robert Janca, founding president, and with the enthusiastic support of Rev. Raymond Mooney, S.J., a constitution

was written and the Club was firmly established.

Officers were Henry Shea, president; Frederick Fisher, vice-president; Robert George, secretary; and James McGrath, treasurer. Rev. Edward O'Brien was advisor.

## West Virginia Club

Almost thirty students attended Xavier this year from the region of the Blue Ridge Mountains and the Trail of the Lonesome Pine. All hailing from West Virginia, they came together in February to form one of the newest social organiza-

tions on the campus, the West Virginia Club.

Officers were Faris Zain, president; Ed Brandabur, secretary; and Thomas Jacobs, treasurer. Rev. Edward Lovely, S.J., was advisor, and was made an honorary citizen of the Mountain State by its Governor.

Hamm, Caverly, Bohnert, Brandabur



# Chicago Club

Top Row: Baele, Carey, McGann, Bacci, King, Ryan, Gelderman, O'Neill. Second Row Gallagher, Gallagher, Ryan, Milostan, McLaughlin, Bulger, Connelly, McCauley. First Row: Metz, Byrne, DeCarlo, Casale.



During 1950-51 the Chicago Club instituted monthly attendance at Mass and Holy Communion. Other campus organizations followed its example.

Officers were Richard Connelly, president; James Bulger, vice-president; and Frank Milostan, secretary and treasurer. Rev. Paul L. O'Connor, S.J., served as advisor.

# Eastern States Club

The Eastern States Club, organized during the 1949-50 year, brings together the Xavier men who come from the Eastern seaboard.

Officers were Joseph Nacrelli, president; Evans Bruton, vice-president; Bernard Dwyer, secretary; and Thomas Marcaccio, treasurer. Mr. Charles Pinzka was faculty advisor.



Top Row: Fitzgerald, Diehl, Talbot, McHugh, Bruton. First Row: Cowan, Dwyer, Nacrelli, Bruton, Marcaccio.





Standing: Shanahan, Gallagher, Dorr, Hogan, Warger, Sadtler. Seated: Ruether, Nolan, Ryan, Bluemle, Newbill, King.

## Mermaid Tavern

A birthday cake with a score of candles was the centerpiece when members of the Mermaid Tavern celebrated the twentieth anniversary of Xavier's literary group in February at the home of graduate member Dr. Charles Blase.

The founder of the Tavern, the Rev. Paul Sweeney, S.J., was present for the celebration, as well as was Mr. Edward VonderHaar, the first host. Graduate members joined with the active members in an evening of reminiscence, discussion, and the reading of original compositions. In a parody contest, Mr. Louis Feldhaus, assistant professor of English, won first prize among the graduate members, and

James Ryan, a freshman, won the honor among the active members.

The Tavernacular, publication of the Tavern, was distributed at the anniversary highday and at three other times during the year.

Although the Tavern, by its original constitution of 1931, is limited to thirteen undergraduate members, a post-war temporary suspension of this rule permits an increased membership. Consequently, two new groups of questants were initiated during the year.

Albert Moser was Host of the Tavern and Brian Shanahan was Drawer. Father Sweeney, its founder, was Warder.





Top Row: Herrlinger, Sassen, Lippert, Rammacher, Ruether, Connelly, Gilligan. Second Row: Dasbach, Schwertman, Keefe, Newbill, Gallagher, Sommerkamp, O'Connell. First Row: Fischer, Evans, Cain, Breslin, Moore, Nolan.

## Xavier University News

The Xavier University News strives to disseminate news which will be of interest to Xavier students, the faculty, the alumni, and friends. It serves further as a medium for the expression of opinion.

The News is published weekly during the school year. It has membership in the Jesuit College Newspaper Association, the Ohio College Newspaper Association, the Intercollegiate College Press, the Catholic Press Association, and the Associated Collegiate Press.

The News this year won the following awards: First place by the Catholic Press Association; first place, best cartoon, by the Ohio College Newspaper Association;

first place, best feature, by OCNA; third place, best cartoon, by OCNA.

Keys of journalism are awarded to all one-year service men.

The News staff was composed of Fred Newbill, editor-in-chief; Don Schwertman, business manager; Thomas Gallagher, Jr., managing editor; Al Moser and Frank Sommerkamp, associate editors; Jim Keefe, sports editor. Staff members, including reporters, cartoonists, photographers, etc., totaled more than fifty students. Rev. Victor C. Stechschulte, S.J., was faculty editorial advisor, and Mr. Joseph Link served as faculty advisor.



Klein, Nolan, Glenn, Bluemle, Sommerkamp, Fitzpatrick, Jasany.

## The Musketeer

As the staff of The Musketeer '51 searched for an appropriate theme, someone discovered that the first Xavier annual to be printed under the title of The Musketeer made its appearance in 1926. The '51 book was a silver anniversary edition!

This fact settled the theme, at least: Musketeers in various aspects would introduce the different sections of the annual. It goes without saying that the aim of the staff was to put together the

best book possible within the limits of a reasonable budget.

These students made up the staff of The Musketeer '51: James Glenn, editor; Paul Bluemle, senior advisor; Charles Nolan, artist; Robert Fitzpatrick, Robert Jasany, Leo Klein, Edward Nock, and Frank Sommerkamp, writers. Dr. Charles Wheeler and Mr. Bernard Martin served as faculty advisors. It is a coincidence that the first Musketeer was edited by James Glenn, '26, father of the editor of the silver anniversary book.



Standing: Milostan, Palmisano, Newbill, Gallagher, Glenn. Seated: O'Brien, Moser, Bluemle, Kane, Ryan, Marquard.

## Alpha Sigma Nu

In 1951 the Xavier Chapter of Alpha Sigma Nu, national Jesuit honor society, observed the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of its predecessor at the University, the Pi Alpha Mu, which was established in 1926.

Founded to honor those students who have distinguished themselves by scholarship, loyalty, and service to the University, Alpha Sigma Nu also promotes all the activities of the school, either as a group or through its individual members. In addition, it was established to band together those alumni who most fully understand and appreciate the ideals of a Jesuit education.

During the year the active members met with the Dean of the liberal arts

college to advise him on student opinion, and the alumni members continued their work toward the chartering of a Cincinnati alumni chapter.

The annual appointment of seven upperclassmen to the society was made by the Dean of the liberal arts college and the President of the University from among nominations made by the active members.

Officers of Alpha Sigma Nu were Lawrence Kane, president, first semester, and Paul Bluemle, president, second semester; James Ryan, secretary, and Albert Moser, treasurer. The Rev. Paul O'Connor, S.J., was faculty consultant.





Top Row: Burns, Hils, Gallo. First Row: Darrah, Amicucci, Yoshimoto.

## Spanish Club

The Spanish Club promotes interest in the Iberian language and customs. It explores the literature, and studies the culture of Spanish-speaking countries. The interests of the Club during 1950-51 centered around Latin-American countries. To supplement students' knowledge, movies of Mexico were shown through the courtesy of the American Airlines.

One of the highlights this year was the Spanish forum, held on the Xavier campus in conjunction with surrounding colleges. The principal speaker was Senor Jose Gonzalez, an instructor at Mount Saint Joseph College, who lectured on Jose Marti, the poet-liberator of Cuba.

The activity program was rounded out with a Pan-American fiesta, several one-act plays in Spanish, and a picnic in the spring.

Officers of the Spanish Club were Donald Amicucci, president; George Darrah, vice-president; Herbert Yoshimoto, secretary-treasurer. Mr. Frank Inserni was the faculty advisor.

## Heidelberg Club

Xavier men who are interested in learning more about the culture, the history, and the traditions of the Germanic peoples found the Heidelberg Club a pleasant means of supplementing their classroom knowledge. Meetings were held monthly, and lectures on German literature, music, and art were presented.

Members were guests of the German Club of Our Lady of Cincinnati College

at the annual joint Christmas party. A picnic was planned for the end of the year, and members of the OLC Club were guests. The organization also sponsored a Father and Son social.

Officers were Thomas Cavanaugh, president; George Dasbach, vice-president; Thomas F. Wey, secretary; Joseph Knab, treasurer. Mr. Joseph Bourgeois, instructor in German and French, served as advisor.



Bottom Row: Springman, Dasbach, Cavanaugh, Wey. Top Row: Edwards, Feldhake, Payne.



# International Relations Club

Semi-monthly panel discussions on contemporary problems relating to world peace were held by the International Relations Club.

The I.R.C. is affiliated with the Carnegie Endowment Fund and with the Cincinnati office of the United Nations. One of the feature events of the Club's year was an address by Major Robert Frey of the X. U. Military Department, who imparted first hand knowledge on the Korean situation to the group.

Lynn Farmer was president, and Robert Marquard was secretary-treasurer. Mr. William Canning acted as faculty advisor.



Standing: Amicucci, Kisner, Darrah. Seated: Marquard, Farmer, Barron.

# French Club

During 1950-51 the French Club, L'Equipe, met bi-monthly to discuss aspects of French culture. Members also consecrated themselves to Saint Margaret Alacoque, and received Holy Communion together on the First Friday of the month.

Other activities included a picnic, a holiday dance, and a dance during the Easter season.

Officers were David M. Kiley, president; Frank J. DeCecca, vice-president; Brian P. Shanahan and Charles M. Nolan, secretaries; William P. Kispert, treasurer; William H. Stieger, junior secretary; James R. Murdock, public relations and art; and Robert J. Murray, head committeeman. Mr. Edmond Labelle was advisor.



Top Row: Fisher, Cordes, Stieger, Murray, Butler. First Row: Lindemann, Kispert, Shanahan, Kiley, Nolan, Consiglio.



Jerry Thole and His Orchestra on WCPO-TV

## Xavier Presents

Xavier Presents, a weekly one-hour variety show over Station WCPO-TV, combined the talents of Xavier students with those of guests from University of Cincinnati, Our Lady of Cincinnati College, Mount Saint Joseph College, Villa Madonna College, Schuster-Martin School, Miami University, the University of Dayton, Ohio State, the University of Kentucky, and the Conservatory and the College of Music. A radio series over Station WKRC was also presented.

Tom Tully and Don Stevens acted as

MC's. Production was handled by Lee Hornback, Paul Litkowski, Don Beeber, Walter Boeckley and Richard Spelz. Choreography was by Jim and Jean Nie-man and James Carson. Frank Sedler, Don Stevens, Joseph George, Vincent Welsh, and Paul Palmisano were responsible for the vocals, while Robert Ort, Ed Hess, Dick Inskeep, and Jerry Thole did musical arrangements. Mr. Joseph Link was faculty director. Rev. James McCummiskey, S.J., and Mr. John Pirsch assisted him.

### RADIO REHEARSAL AT WKRC

Standing: Mr. Link, Sedler, Thole, Inskeep, Stevens. Seated: Cirkin, Leesman.



# Clef Club

Numerous concert appearances were made by the Clef Club during 1950-51. The Club entertained at University functions, and appeared on radio and television programs.

The first concert this season was given at Villa Madonna College. Other dates included Our Lady of Cincinnati College, Mount Saint Joseph College, the Good Samaritan Hospital, and a tour of Kentucky. The Club ended the year's activi-

ties with its annual spring concert and dance.

Officers were William Reinhardt, president; Joseph McDevitt, vice-president; James Dowd, secretary; Lee Hornback, treasurer; John Reinhardt, business manager; William Conway, librarian; Robert Plageman, assistant librarian. Mr. Franklin Bens was the director, and Rev. John Usher, S.J., was faculty advisor.



Top Row: Schmidt, Dillhoff, Russell, Hess, Plageman, Sedler, Vetter, Vetter, White. Fourth Row: Powers, Marquard, Aug. Tobin, O'Brien, Kelly, Glockner, Madden, Levine, Vetter, Fairbanks. Third Row: Cain, George, Keller, Boerger, Kelly, Fellerhoff, Murray, Reis, Keller, Langefels, Fitzgerald, Schrimpf. Second Row: McGucken, Rapier, Rickard, Shields, Nitzken, Morrissey, Schlueter, Ahlrichs, Thom, McDermott, Huber, Manion. First Row: Brems, Evans, Evans, Dowd, Reinhardt, Reinhardt, Mr. Bens, McDevitt, Hornback, Conway.





The Xavier Bandmen's Big XU

## The Band

The Xavier University Band of 1950-51 was among the better school units in the country. Faced with the problem of organizing and rehearsing within the brief period between registration and the Xavier-Quantico game, the bandmen under the direction of Mr. Gilbert Maringer achieved high-quality performance.

In addition to football and basketball games, the music makers appeared at civic

and social functions on and off campus. Their colorful blue and white uniforms, their precision marching, and their practiced formations never failed to call forth favorable comment.

Various social events arranged for members of the organization have kept the spirit high and the group unified in its aim for constant improvement.

Better equipment, additional storage rooms, and six practice hours each week







BAND DIRECTOR GILBERT MARINGER

were goals that have already been attained. Band members feel that much credit for their over-all success must go to the enthusiastic leadership of Mr. Maringer.

Activities for the year were climaxed with a banquet in the Union House in

May. Letters were awarded and special recognition was given to senior members.

Officers during the year were John Fitzgerald, president; Robert Scherer, vice-president; and Thomas Quinlan, secretary-treasurer.

#### A Musical Note is Added





Cadets and Their Ladies at the Military Ball.

## ROTC

The 1950-51 scholastic year saw several changes in the Reserve Officers Training Corps at Xavier. Before classes began, Colonel George Holsinger arrived to replace Colonel Sidney Dunn as commander of the organization. The latter had been moved to a post on the West Coast after having served at Xavier since 1945.

In taking over the 2,476 Army Service Unit, as the Xavier ROTC unit is designated, Colonel Holsinger saw fit to organize the regiment into two large battalions rather than three smaller ones. Assisting the Colonel in this move were his staff: Lieutenant Colonel Tom Shackelford; Majors Edward Downing,

Robert Frey, and Walter Tucker; and Captain Jack Conard.

The regiment had a full complement of cadet officers. Cadet Colonel Gustav Juengling commanded it during the first semester, and Cadet Colonel Robert Franz during the second semester. Its executive officer was Cadet Colonel Dennis Barron. Other cadet officers were Lieutenant Colonel William Seibert, Captain Robert White, Captain William Johannigman, Captain William Bruton, and Master Sergeant Edward McCoy, who served as Sergeant - Major. Cadet Lieutenant Colonels James Brinkmann and Ralph Westrich commanded the First and Second Battalions.



#### XOMM

Top Row: Resing, Froelicher, Moehringer, Harmon, Bruton. Second Row: Ryan, Westrich, Seiler, Reese, Hufnagel, Franz, Mastropalo. First Row: Armleder, Clott, Brinkmann, Rammacher, Schuermann, Johannigman, Barron, Oaks.

Theirs was the privilege of continuing the tradition of the ROTC as it was constituted in the National Defense Act of 1916. Since the passage of that Act, the ROTC has become the chief source of reserve officers for the army. The first of these officers were commissioned in 1920, and numbered one hundred and ninety men.

Between 1920 and 1950 more than two million members of ROTC units received basic military training. Approximately one hundred thousand ROTC graduates who served in World War II ranged in rank from Second Lieutenant to Brigadier General. Today the Xavier unit is one of four hundred and seventy-five units assigned to one hundred and eighty-three American colleges. Fifty-five ROTC schools have Field Artillery regiments.

Xavier is justly proud of the fact that its ROTC is the largest Field Artillery unit in the schools of the nation. During

1950-51 the total enrollment in the regiment reached six hundred and six cadets, an enormous increase over the one hundred and ninety-six men who answered the first roll call at Xavier in 1936.

Membership in the ROTC involves class work, field work, extra-curricular organizations, and social activities.

During 1950-51 the Rifle Club from Xavier was composed of cadets from both the advanced and the basic forces. A team elected from its members competed in matches with the University of Cincinnati, Miami, Ohio State University, University of Illinois, and several other schools. President of the Club was Jack Schaefer. Mark Schoenberger was vice-president, and Donald Hils was secretary-treasurer.

Cadets in the basic course form the club known as the Pershing Rifles, a national organization founded at the University of





#### PERSHING RIFLES

Top Row: Dillhoff, Dunbar, Delany, Oberschmidt, Brankamp, Gale, Tuke, Kelleher, Kleman, Schmidt, Kelly, Litkowski, Lindemann. Second Row: Beeber, Kohlbrand, Kavanaugh, Sayre, Gallo, Williams, Motz, Kautz, Santen, Niehaus, Fries. First Row: Lasheck, Soete, Ryan, Schuermann, Seibert, Franz, Westrich, Resing, Rupier, Keller, Gilligan, Gorwin.



#### PERSHING RIFLES

Top Row: Kingstaff, McCarthy, Powers, Poynter, Snider, Geraci, Misleh, Miller, Bergmann, Biehl, Fischer, Breitenbach, Tobin. Second Row: Beeber, Evans, Richter, Hils, Sweeney, Hayes, Motschall, Meredith, Nieman, Ruether, Daley, Greenwell, Marx. First Row: Rassenfoos, Evans, Fehr, Langfels, Mountel, Franz, Koenig, Meyer, Ernst, Heavern, Paul, Fries, Boeckley.



#### RIFLE CLUB

Top Row: Tuke, Ryan, Feldmann, Moehringer, Williams, Nieman, Franz, Schuermann, Westrich, Warm. First Row: Schmidt, Tillar, Hils, Schaefer, Schoenberger, Geraci, Richter, Ernst.





Facing Men: Lt. Col. Shackelford. Rear Row: Smith, Hardy, Triggart, Reinhardt. First Row: Lammers, Ryan, Oliverio.

Nebraska by Lieutenant John Pershing, the late Commander of the American Expeditionary Forces during World War I. The Club fosters interest in military science and in proficiency in drill. Its officers were Robert Franz, captain; Ralph Westrich, executive; and William Seibert, administrative officer. Major Edward Downing served as faculty advisor.

Advanced course students had their traditional organization, the Xavier Order of Military Merit. Membership in KOMM is awarded those whose performance in the Corps merits a superior rating. Cadet Lieutenant Colonel Max Lammers was president, and Major Tucker was faculty advisor.

In addition to its military affairs, the ROTC carried on its customary social program. The 1950-51 Military Ball was an

event of November 17 at the Hotel Sheraton-Gibson. The Cadets, their ladies, and their guests of honor danced to the music of Verne Wahle in the Roof Garden. The climax of the festivities came when Miss Mary Agnes Noonan was given her commission as Honorary Cadet Colonel of the Xavier Unit.

As the school year came to an end Cadets in the advanced course were anticipating their assignment to summer camp. Those who went to camp in 1950 were ordered to Fort Bragg, and there they had the opportunity to put into practice the theory that they had received in their Xavier classrooms.

The annual inspection of the Xavier ROTC was an event scheduled for May. A team of officers from the Second Army Headquarters at Fort Meade was to review the unit.



Standing: Messrs. Leo Oberschmidt, John McCarty, William Cosgrove, Jerry Feiertag, John Hoey, Edward Winter, Merle Cooper. Seated: Messrs. Leo Wimberg, John Hardig, Lawrence Niemeyer, William Shields, Rev. Edward O'Brien, S.J., William Hogan. Absent: Dr. Thomas Heavern and Messrs. Thomas Gallagher and Albert Bechtold.

## Dads Club

The Dads Club again proved its great value to the University. Concerned with the general program of the school, with the enrollment, and with campus facilities, the Club had a busy year.

Much of its activity during the months of the Good Will and Fund Campaign centered around the business of making that effort a success. At the same time, however, the members were busy improving the Pioneer Room of South Hall so that it would appeal more and more to the X undergrads. And they succeeded well at that undertaking. The general sentiment of the student body is, "Hats off to the Dads!"

Usually at the monthly meetings a member of the faculty was invited to talk to the Club upon a subject pertinent to the interest of their sons attending Xavier. At the annual Fathers and Sons night in October, the program was conducted in the Fieldhouse to accommodate the large turn-out. Along with other entertainment, the guests heard a stirring address, Catholic Education in the Modern World Situation, by Judge William Dammarell.

The following men served as officers of the Club: Mr. William Shields, president; Mr. John Hoey, secretary; and Dr. Thomas Heavern, treasurer. Consultant of the Club was the Rev. Edward O'Brien, S.J.



Top Row: Messrs. William Bocklage, James Bolger. First Row: Mr. Leonard Gartner, Judge George Kearns, Messrs. Al Boex, John Muething.

## Alumni

The effort of the Alumni Association for the Fund and Good Will Campaign proved magnificent financially and showed great morale.

In its regular program the Association assisted with the annual Sports Jamboree in September. At the fall meeting of the alumni Mr. A. E. Ostholtzoff, '32, chief FBI agent in Cincinnati, was the featured speaker.

The alumni returned at Homecoming, and saw Xavier defeat Louisville. They also witnessed the float parade, which the Association co-sponsored, and attended the Homecoming Dance at the Alms.

Many made the alumni retreat at Milford in February. Rev. Robert Hartnett, S.J., editor of America, gave the address at their spring dinner.

Officers were Judge George Kearns, president; Mr. Al Boex, vice-president; Mr. Leonard Gartner, treasurer; Mr. John Muething, financial secretary; Mr. James Bolger, historian; Mr. William Bocklage, executive secretary. Rev. J. Peter Buschmann, S.J., was faculty representative.

Other members of the Board of Governors were Judge William Dammarell and Messrs. Irvin Beumer, Leo Breslin, Robert Dreidame, Thomas Gallagher, Melvin Hessler, Leo Koester, Robert Ryan, Thomas Schmidt, and Earl Winters.





Mr. Inserni Introduces the Pogner Ensemble.

## Musical Arts

Under the aegis of the Musical Arts sub-committee of the Fine Arts Committee the series of concerts and lectures which were inaugurated during 1949-50 continued during 1950-51. Mr. Frank Inserni, instructor in Spanish, headed the activity, and was assisted by Albert Moser and Herc Ruether.

Two concerts were presented: The first, in December, featured the Little Singers of the Wooden Cross, a boys' choir from France. The second was an evening of chamber music played by the Pogner Chamber Music Circle in February.

Appearing as lecturers in the series were Dr. Thor Johnson, conductor of the

Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra; Dr. Herbert Schwartz, professor of Philosophy at Xavier; Mrs. Margaret McClure Stitt, composer and lecturer; and Mr. Merrill Van Pelt, director of music in the Cincinnati public schools.

One day each week at noon a concert of recorded classics was played in the Fine Arts Room. The University procured a new Magnavox for this purpose.

The success of the series and the increasing interest shown as the year progressed indicated the favorable opinion which the efforts of Mr. Inserni and his student co-workers evoked.





Standing: Mrs. Joseph Lammers, Mrs. Charles Deye, Mrs. Walter Brunsman, Mrs. Edwin Bohnert, Mrs. Emeran Tillar, Mrs. John Fischer. Seated: Mrs. Henrietta Hogan, Mrs. August Olding, Mrs. Jerry Feiertag, Mrs. John Gilligan, and Mrs. Kenneth Morrissey. Other officers were Mrs. Arthur Ney and Mrs. John Driscoll.

## Booklovers

Monthly during 1950-51 the Booklovers--women interested in the University--met on the campus after attending Benediction in Bellarmine Chapel. Programs included addresses by the Very Rev. James F. Maguire, S.J., and Revs. Paul Sullivan, S.J., James McCummiskey, S.J., Paul Sweeney, S.J., and Louis Weitzman, S.J.

The annual card party for the University Library was held at the Alms Hotel in March, and yielded a substantial amount. The ladies also participated in the Fund and Good Will Campaign.

Mrs. Jerry Feiertag and her fellow-officers had Father McCummiskey as their consultant.

## Alumnae

In addition to its customary program of meetings and parties, the Alumnae Association participated in the Fund and Good Will Campaign, arranged a tea for the parents of Purcell High School seniors, and held a discussion session each Wednesday evening. The subject was usually suggested by Neill's Makers of the Modern Mind.

Officers of the Alumnae were Miss Mary Schackmann, president; Miss Constance Holtel, vice-president; Mrs. Dorothy (Gass) Weber, treasurer; Mrs. Emmamae Beckman and Misses Julia Herbert, Clara Chervanek and Mary Jester, board members. Rev. Victor Nieporte, S.J., was consultant.



French Singers Visit Campus.



Judges of Floats: Mr. Beckman, Father Maguire, Messrs. Tepe, Koettters, Boex.

Homecoming Ladies: Pat Freudiger, Queen Ruth Wood, Pat McNamara.



## Memories

Worries over a Korean situation which threatened to develop into a third World War gave an undertone to Xavier activities of 1950-51, but failed to dull noticeably the student ardor for events on the academic and social calendars.

Perhaps that which helped initiate this triumph over worries was the sermon of the Rev. Paul O'Connor, S.J., dean of the College of Liberal Arts, at the Mass invoking the Holy Spirit at the beginning of the year to give light to the one thousand, four hundred and thirteen students of the University. Father O'Connor declared: "You must have a deep conviction that what you are doing at Xavier this year is the best preparation you can possibly make for the future, whether the future holds war or peace, depression or prosperity."

The upper classes had elected their officers before the previous scholastic year had ended. Heading the seniors were James Keefe, president; James McGann, vice-president; Dennis Barron, secretary; and Thomas Jacobs, treasurer. The juniors had chosen John Gallagher, president; Norman Grevey, vice-president; Frank Mooney, secretary; and Alfred Waddell, treasurer. Sophomores were led by Alfred Morse, president; James Spraul, vice-president; William Charles, secretary; and John Schaefer, treasurer.

From these officers the Student Council had elected McGann to be president; Barron, vice-president;

Football Banquet at Sheraton-Gibson.





# 1950-'51

Mooney, secretary; and Charles, treasurer. Council's judicial matters were in the hands of a board consisting of Albert Moser, chairman; Thomas Harris, John Bacci, and Maurice Moore. Social events were considered by the Social Committee: Robert Satzger, chairman; James Rammacher, Thomas Smith, and Paul Sweeney. Council's Athletic Board was comprised of Paul Misali, chairman; William Folzenlogan, James Bulger, and Harold Knecht.

September moved into history quickly, with its registration, the aforementioned Mass of the Holy Spirit, the opening football game against the nationally acclaimed Eddie LeBaron and his fellows, the Quantico Marines, and one of the most successful Frosh-Soph Hops of recent years, held in the Topper Ballroom.

Marian Day services brought Cincinnati Catholics to the campus to begin the month of October, the same day that the Xavier Presents TV show began a twenty-five week series.

It was a month of large gatherings on the campus. Mrs. Margaret McClure Stitt, composer and lecturer, inaugurated the lectures of the Xavier Fine Arts Committee; the third annual Xavier Family Life Conference was highlighted by the selection of Mr. and Mrs. Aloysius Von Hagel as the Cincinnati Family of the Year; and the regional workshop of the National Federation of Catholic College Students attracted

Coach Hirt Receives a Trophy.



Sodality Raffles The Thing.



Legion of Honor Men Liber, Kluska, O'Brien, and Captain-elect Carinci.

Finale of Xavier Presents.





Accounting Debaters: Riestenberg, Rapien, Berding.



Archbishop Alter, Father Maguire, and Wolfer Family.

Preparations for Family Day.



hundreds of students from several states.

Graduates flocked back for the Homecoming, preceded by an undergraduate dance the previous evening and highlighted by the game with Louisville, the float parade contest won by the Family Relations Club, the crowning of Ruth Wood as Homecoming Queen with her attendants, Pat McNamara and Pat Freudiger, and the Alumni Association dance in the evening.

Elections during the month made Mary Agnes Noonan honorary cadet colonel for the year, and Jack Helmers president of the freshman class. Other freshman officers were James Powers, vice-president; Vito DeCarlo, secretary; and Robert Linn, treasurer. At the end of October, the Rev. Ignatius Burrill, S.J., preached the retreat for the dorm students.

During November, Dr. Herbert Schwartz of the Xavier faculty spoke in the Fine Arts series; the Masque Society presented Brother Orchid to packed houses in the South Hall Little Theater; the cadets and other students danced to the music of Verne Wahle at the Military Ball; and the football season ended with the sole loss of the year, to the University of Cincinnati, and a win over prominent St. Bonaventure.

Before the men of Xavier began their Christmas vacation, they read the first issue of the *Athenaeum*, witnessed the opening basketball game, attended an evening of one-act plays, heard the Little Singers of the Wooden Cross from France, and saw the announcements of a million dollar fund campaign for the University. Xavier accounting students for the second straight year won the debate of the National Association of Cost Accountants, defeating Miami University.

January brought the senior smoker, exams, graduation for sixty-five seniors and the retreat conducted by the Rev. Patrick O'Brien, S.J.

Dr. Vincent Smith, distinguished Xavier graduate and professor of philosophy at Notre Dame University, addressed the Cincinnati Biennial Festival of the Arts audience at Xavier early in February. The Angelus Crusade and the pre-induc-



tion lectures began, while the Mermaid Tavern celebrated its twentieth anniversary. For its Operation Youth of the previous June, Xavier was presented second prize in the Freedom Foundation awards, and James Glenn, Bernard Walsh, and Thomas Lippert were announced as Xavier winners in the Jesuit Intercollegiate Essay Contest. The Most Rev. Karl J. Alter, Archbishop of Cincinnati, made his first appearance before the student body, and his address thrilled every listener.

March events which preceded an early Easter included a lecture in the Fine Arts series by Dr. Thor Johnson, conductor of the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra, and the fourth annual Xavier Family Life Conference, which selected Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wolfer as the 1951 Cincinnati Family of the Year. A freshman class for June entrance was announced by the Rev. James F. Maguire, S.J., president, who also honored as appointees to Alpha Sigma Nu, seniors Robert Marguard and Fred Newbill and juniors Frank Milostan, Thomas McCoy, Paul Palmisano, Thomas Gallagher, and James Glenn.

The social season went into full swing after Easter. The Junior Prom, over which Jean Wedig ruled as queen, the NFCCS Regional Congress at Mount Saint Joseph College, in which Xavier students played a prominent part, and the Masque Society's production of *Our Town* all fell during the same early-April week-end. Arnold D'Ambrosio won the fifty-fifth annual Alumni Oratorical Contest. The University library received a gift of rare books from an anonymous donor.

And then came word that Xavier had swept all the honors in the Intercollegiate Latin Contest, winning first place as Thomas Gallagher placed second, George Miltz fourth, and Charles Nolan fifth. All are in the Honors course at Xavier.

As *The Musketeer '51* went to press, plans were going ahead for the great Family Day on May 12, the Alpha Sigma Nu banquet, the Clef Club Concert and Dance, and the events of Commencement Week which would bring the year to a close.



Moment of Prayer in South Hall.



Orators: Listerman, Winner D'Ambrosio, Spraul.

General Bradley Honors Mr. Fraser for Operation Youth.



# The Xavier University

## Fund and Good Will Campaign

*All for ...*  
  
*...for all!*



**XAVIER**  
UNIVERSITY

*Fund AND Good Will Campaign*

**APRIL 15-30**

The emblem on the preceding page became a familiar sight to residents of Greater Cincinnati during the early months of 1951. It blossomed in thousands of store windows, in churches of the city, and on every traffic light. It was Xavier's appeal to the men and women who believe in what Xavier stands for. The goal of the drive, which will be a three-year project, was \$1,000,000. Out of the drive will come new dormitories to replace the temporary housing that the University built after World War II. Funds for the building of Logan Hall will also be augmented by these contributions. Lastly, the services which the University has had to provide for its greatly increased enrollment during the past six years will be subsidized.

Outstanding in endorsement and active help has been Most Rev. Karl J. Alter, Archbishop of Cincinnati. He has directed the archdiocese to assist the campaign, and has spoken vigorously in Xavier's behalf.

"Xavier University provides definite benefits of religious leadership, which it creates," the Archbishop stated while addressing business and industrial leaders in connection with the campaign. "Because social legislation grows out of public attitudes on such questions as the value of life and the right of private property, it is important to every business man to preserve the educational institutions that develop right attitudes on these questions."

At the dinner which opened the drive Msgr. R. Marcellus Wagner, senior Vicar General of the Archdiocese, spoke for Archbishop Alter. He evaluated the drive as an opportunity for Cincinnatians to "stand up and be counted."

"Xavier University is the one educational institution that serves all Catholics in this area," he said. "It is teaching the fundamentally sound American concept that good citizenship is based on

the moral law that has its foundation in religion.

"Our Archdiocese is deeply indebted to the Jesuit Fathers for the contribution they have made to our educational system here through one hundred and ten years. As a pastor I recognize the obligation of the parishes and call upon all of you to declare yourselves for Catholic education. Put this drive over, and get more than the \$1,000,000 goal, which is extremely modest in view of the University's needs."

Mr. Joel M. Bowlby, LL.D., '48, member of the Xavier Lay Advisory Board, was chairman of the drive, and Mr. William H. Albers, LL.D., '43, also on the Board, was co-chairman.

"Xavier is doing a job for all our citizens, regardless of religious faith," Mr. Bowlby said. "We are striving to keep the private colleges like Xavier strong and healthy because they stand for Christian living and for the freedoms that are our American birthright."

"Education has played a major role in the development of our nation and the private schools have made the greatest contribution because they have built up the thirst for education and knowledge that has caused the public demand for our public educational system."

The remainder of the huge campaign organization came from the ranks of prominent Cincinnatians of all creeds, from parish workers, and--as the preceding pages of *The Musketeer* '51 indicate--from Xavier alumni and faculty. Mr. C. Glynn Fraser, assistant professor of sociology and assistant to the President in the development program, served as campaign director. Mr. Edward Vonderhaar, assistant to the President and director of public relations, shared responsibility for the drive with Mr. Fraser. At their headquarters in the Hotel Gibson they were assisted by Mr. James Clarke, Miss Monica Nolan, and Mr. Richard Day.

# Downtown College





Rev. Victor Nieporte, S.J., Regent

Students in the Evening College of Xavier University returned to their classes in the Downtown College, 520 Sycamore Street, in September to find several important changes. The office of the school had been moved during the summer from the third floor of the building to a room near the front entrance on the first floor. And a resplendent improvement that new office was.

The Rev. Victor Nieporte, S.J., was again present behind the Dean's desk--friendly, gracious, and interested in the advancement of those who came to register. A change, however, was noted in the position of secretary of the Evening College. Mr. Thomas Hanna had been appointed to replace Mrs. Esther Wheeler. Mr. Hanna, a graduate of the Evanston campus in '49, was not destined to remain throughout '50-'51 because, as an

officer in the Army Reserve, he was called to active duty in January.

At that time the President of the University, the Very Rev. James Maguire, S.J., announced that Father Nieporte had been appointed Director of Admissions of the University. That appointment necessitated the naming of a successor to him for the Evening College, and Mr. Irvin Beumer, who had been familiar to EC students since 1945 as Director of Veterans' Education, was named Dean. Father Nieporte, it was announced, would serve as Regent of the EC in addition to his new duties.

Dean Beumer took office as the second semester got under way. His long period of service with the University administration, as well as his experience during World War II in the educational section of Army Finance, guaranteed the know-



Dean Irvin Beumer

how he would bring to his new work. He is a graduate of Xavier, Class of '41, and received his Master's Degree in '49. He also holds the rank of Major.

While these changes in the office were occurring, the usual routine of the EC went on. The total registration of the school for the year approximated 1,300

#### EVENING COLLEGE FACULTY

Top Row: Messrs. Helmes, Shea, Rev. John Uhl, S.J., Messrs. Settelmayer, Harriman. Second Row: Messrs. Hamel, Keeling, Nolan, Tilton, Rev. Francis Bittenz, S.J., Messrs. Cahalan, Sundermann, Nolan. First Row: Messrs. Wenner, Murray, Marcaccio, Miss MacVeigh, Dr. Hornback, Mrs. Werner, Mr. Behler.





OFFICERS, BOOSTERS CLUB  
 Top Row: Cook, Holmes, Vennemeyer, Mr. Behler.  
 First Row: Wood, Gandert, Sanker, Kaelin.

men and women. From all walks of life they came. Many were already established in the business world, and came to Xavier to further their capabilities in matters related to their daily activity. Others were motivated by a desire to broaden their cultural background by going further into the humanistic subjects in the curriculum. They represented all age levels. They were at Xavier to benefit from the University's activities in adult education.

Certainly they found a large faculty well qualified to assist them toward their goal. Members of the regular staff of the University were assisted by men and women drawn from the professional ranks of Greater Cincinnati.

They were the Revs. Francis Bittenz, S.J., Maurice Link, S.J., Edward O'Brien, S.J., and John Uhl, S.J.; Messrs. Walter Behler, William Blum, Joseph Bourgeois,

Paul Burkhardt, William Cahalan, William Canning, Robert Cissell, Joseph Eversmann, Louis Feldhaus, John Finucan, Kenneth Fitzgerald, George Flamm, Leonard Gartner, John Gilligan.

Also Messrs. James Glenn, Edward Goodman, Paul Harkins, Gerald Harri-  
 man, Robert Helmes, Frank Inserni, Floyd Keeling, Timothy Kilduff, Robert Kleinhans, Edmond Labelle, Joseph Link, Frank Luken, William Marcaccio, John Maupin, Leo Meirose, Edward Murray, Allan Nolan.

Messrs. John Nolan, John O'Leary, George Overbeck, Paul Rieselman, William Sauter, Philip Scharper, George Schlegel, Clement Schuck, Herbert Schwartz, Charles Selzer, George Selzer, Lawrence Selzer, Joseph Settelmayer, James Shea, Clarence Steuer, Edward Sundermann, Arthur Tilton, Arthur Volck, Edwin Wenner, Edward Wessen-



darp, William Willer, and Frederick Wirth; Mrs. Marguerite Werner, Miss Florence Hornback, and Miss Alice Witteried.

An innovation was introduced by Father Nieporte in the form of short-term non-credit courses. Most of these were offered by regular members of the EC faculty, but others were taught by Messrs. Clifford Dannenfelser, Ignatius Hamel, and Jack Williams; and Mrs. Charleen Schwartz and Miss Harriet Smith.

Extra-curricular activities at the EC centered, as they always do, in the affairs of the Boosters Club, and many of them were voted the best ever. Hearty thanks are due to the officers of this ever-alert organization: Joseph Sanker, president; Yvonne Gandert, vice-president; Lee Wimmers, treasurer; Ruth Delaney, recording secretary; Dorothy Kaelin, corresponding secretary; James Siciliano,

Ruth Wood, Jenny Bischoff, and Rosemary Mueller, consultants.

The Boosters' year began with the annual Field Day, which was held on the Evanston Campus on Sunday, September 10. The committee for this affair consisted of Pat Fisher, Harold Grome, Dorothy Kaelin, and Charles Cook. Members enjoyed a variety of sports during the afternoon, had dinner, and spent the evening at dancing and cards.

On Saturday, September 23, the customary Get-Acquainted dance was held at the Downtown College under the direction of the Boosters' officers.

In October new members were received by the Boosters. Their initiation was held at the Downtown College on October 20. On the committee for this event were Ruth Wood, Marilyn Holmes, Ralph Gau, Edward Goetz, Myrna Mangan, Gene Maher, Kathryn Deters, and Rosemary

Any Evening in the New Office of the Downtown College.





Mueller. Two days later the formal induction of the twenty-five new members took place in the chapel of Elet Hall in Avondale. Father Nieporte celebrated Mass and later welcomed the new members in a short address. President Sanker presided.

Saturday, November 11, was the date of the Victory Ball at the Kemper Lane. Music for the dance was furnished by Dick Spade's Orchestra, and the committee included President Sanker, James Siciliano, John Brosnan, and Frank Stallo.

On Sunday evening, December 15, the EC Christmas party was held at the school under the aegis of the Boosters' officers. Santa Claus was suspiciously similar to Jack Morris, and a really great time was enjoyed by everyone.

Perhaps the reason for this unusual spirit lay in the fact that EC students had collected the munificent amount of \$400.00 for the children attending Holy Trinity school in the West End. A grand Christmas celebration for the children was held on Thursday afternoon, December 20, and the EC gift was presented. Walter Behler, chairman for this activity, was assisted by Mary Brinkers, Mary Riehle, Jean Schipper, Jane and Judy Hepp, Helen Sommers, and the Sanker brothers, Joe and Lou. On this occasion Santa looked considerably like James Siciliano.

During Lent the Boosters had their annual retreat, March 16, 17, and 18, at the EC. Their re-

treat master was the Reverend John Malone, S.J., former EC instructor now teaching at John Carroll University.

The traditional Knight and Lady Dance was scheduled for the Kemper Lane on Saturday, May 12. As *The Musketeer '51* goes to press, the '51 Knight and Lady have not been selected. This affair and contest were handled by the Knight and Lady of the preceding year, Harold Grome (actually his brother Lou represented him, for Harold is serving Uncle Sam) and Ruth Wood.

EC students plan to bring the year to a conclusion with a Vacation Party at the school on Friday, June 1.

Thus, inadequately, may the chronicle of the Evening College during '51 be recorded. The real story--the intellectual improvement, the emotional development, and the spiritual advancement--cannot be communicated in words. It is known only by those who have experienced it.

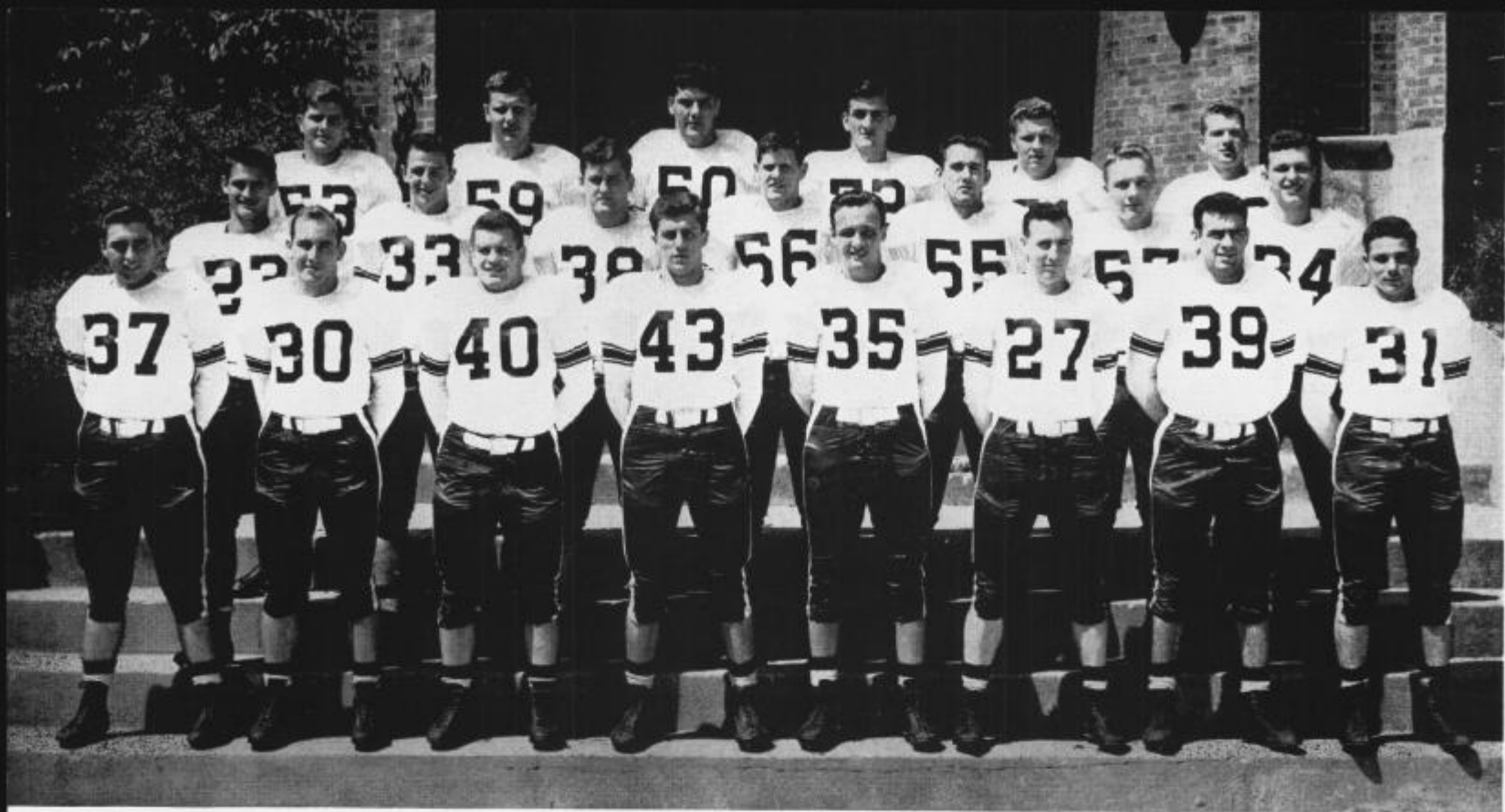
#### OFFICERS, FIRST YEAR CLUB

Top Row: Walters, Scheper, Huller. First Row: Rolfes, Riehle, Schuerman.



# Athletics





XAVIER SQUAD - 1950

First Row, left to right: Jim Ausdenmoore, Bob Finnell, Kevin Krigbaum, Jack Dowd, Bob Judy, Jack Hahn, Frank Domanico, and Capt. Jim Liber. Second Row: Bernie Roeckers, Frank Milostan, John Skole, John Curl, John Bacci, Ken Robinson, and Frank Glade. Back Row: Gene Hipp, Jack Gearding, Jack Hoffman, Neil Hardy, Cliff Wilke and Frank Fellerhoff.

## Football

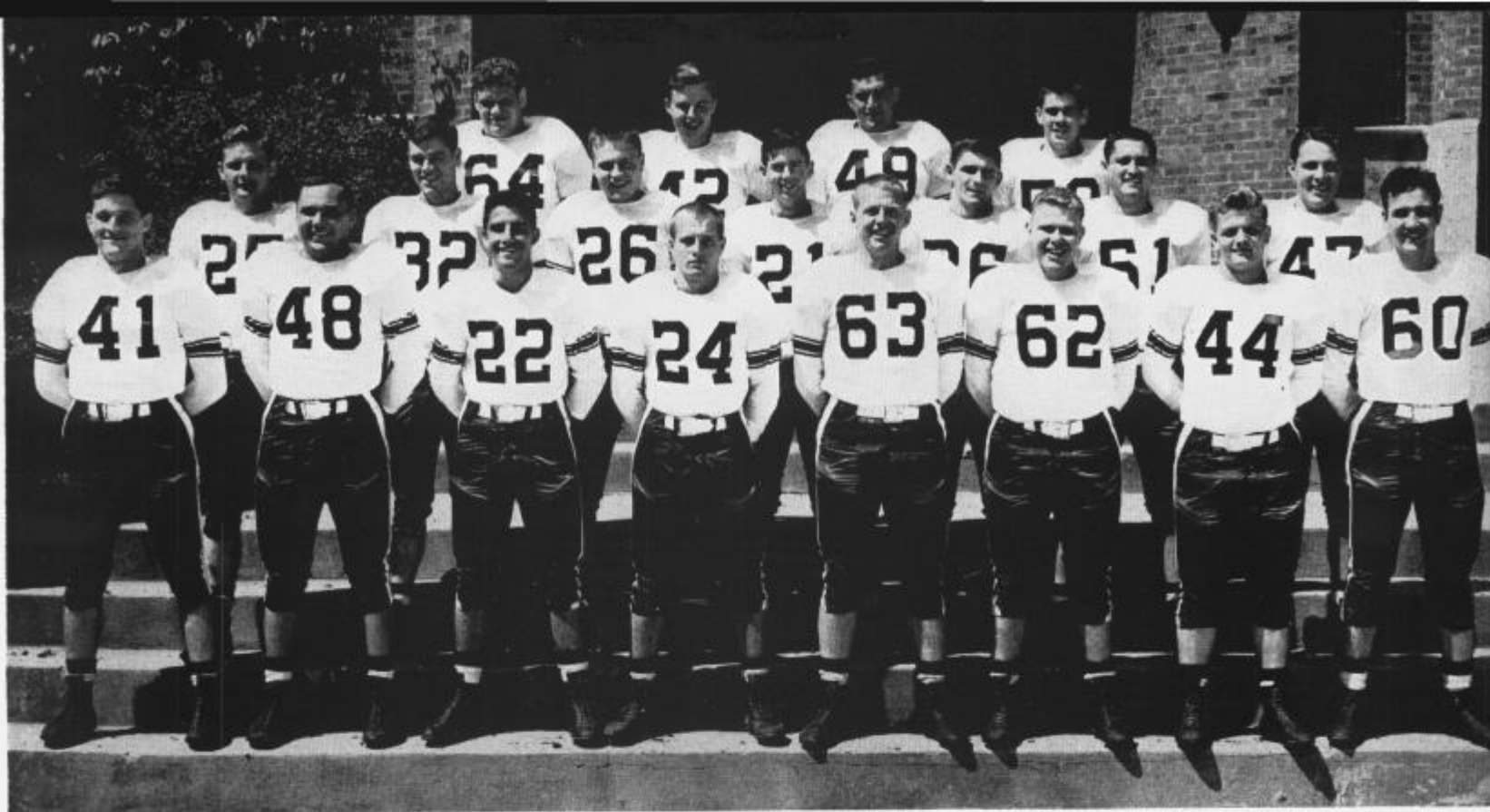
Captain Jim Liber

Spirit and experience are the words that best describe the Musketeer eleven of 1950. The team courageously and successfully represented the Blue and White on the gridiron.

Great credit for the accomplishment must go to Head Coach Ed Kluska and to his staff: Backfield Coach Charles Lavelle, Line Coach Ray Stackhouse, and Freshman Coach Ned Wulk. The team that they fielded this past season left Xavier fans elated.







XAVIER SQUAD - 1950

First Row, left to right: Tom Ballaban, Bob Buresh, Pete Lerario, Tom Mussio, Bob Bleh, Bill Schramm, John Saban, and Roland Erno. Second Row: Bill Rankin, Dick Hogan, Jim Grace, George Gilmartin, Hugh O'Brien, Tito Carinci, and Gerry Keefe. Back Row: Jim Murphy, Tom Sikorski, John Martinkovic and Dick Fennell.

The Musketeers defeated such powerhouses as the University of Dayton, Miami

University, John Carroll, the University of Louisville, the Quantico Marines, and Saint Bonaventure College, and lost only to its friendly arch-rival, the University of Cincinnati.

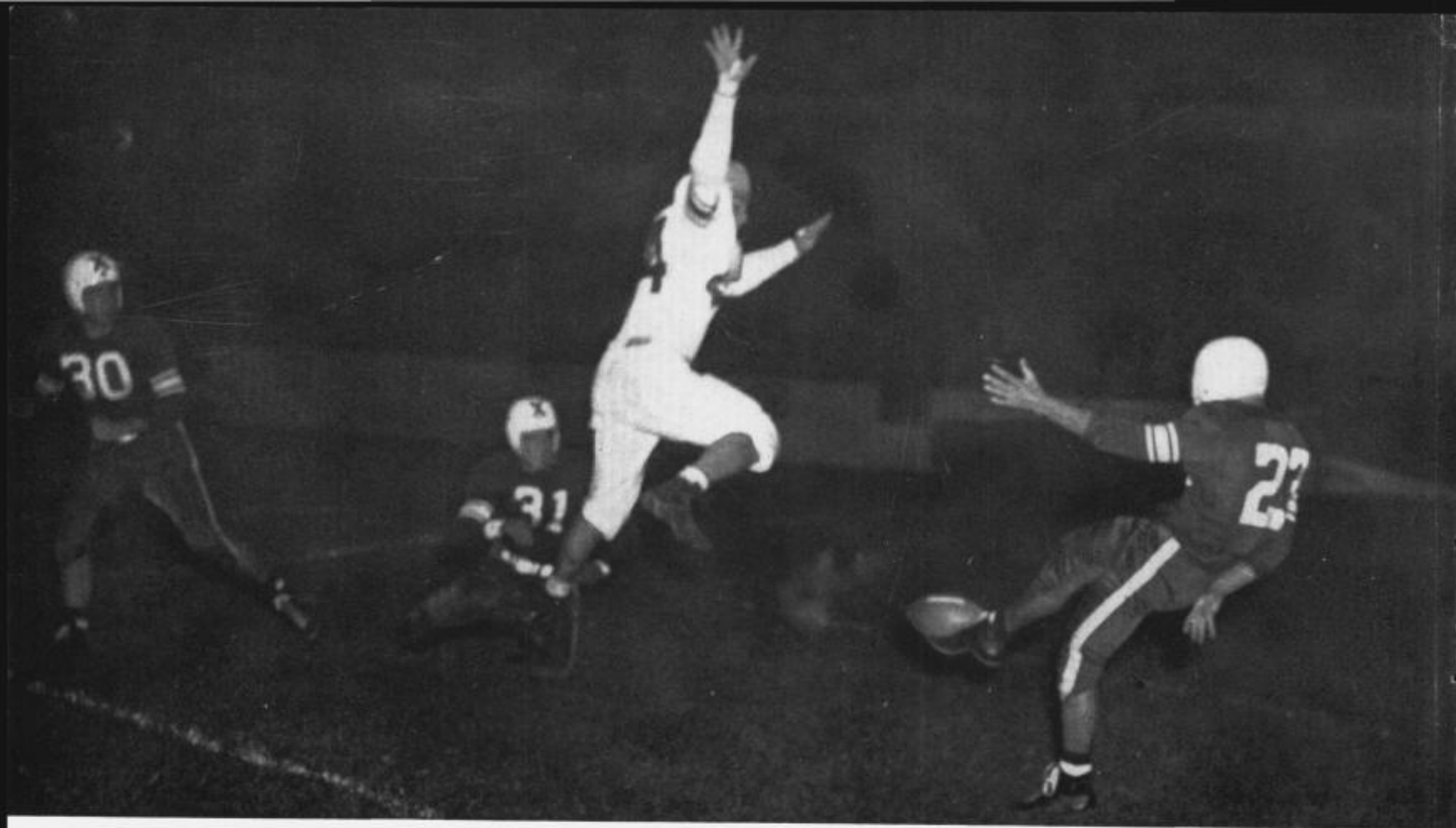
Cheerleaders Powers, DeSantis, Cahill.

Also deserving a generous share in the acclaim that the team has won are the X cheerleading staff: Sandy DeSantis, Phil Cahill, Jim Powers, Frank Poletz, Jack Volle, Tom Bath, and little Julie Stephan, the daughter of Director of Athletics Al Stephan.

#### XAVIER 34 - - QUANTICO MARINES 13

Opening night found 15,000 spectators on hand to see Xavier's experienced squad





Roeckers Punts in John Carroll Game.

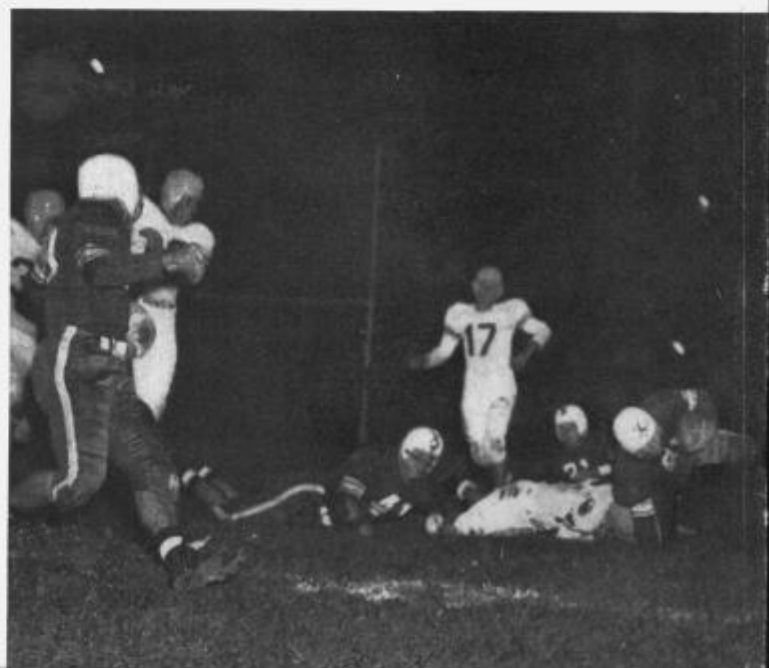
set back highly touted Eddie LeBaron and his Quantico cohorts. Although Quantico scored first on a pass from LeBaron to Bill Hawkins, the lead was short lived. X began marching with Wilke scoring twice, Finnell, Gearding, and Rankin once each. Placekicker Gerry Keefe converted four of his five attempts. The Marines' final goal came as Hawkins raced 32 yards down the sidelines.

#### XAVIER 24 - - JOHN CARROLL 18

Coach Ed Kluska's gridders had to go all out to defeat the fired-up, veteran J. C. Blue Streaks. Trailing the larger portion of the contest, the Muskies roared

back just in time. In this first road game, Cliff Wilke kept his personal scoring record alive; he scored at least one TD in each of the 13 games he played for Xavier. Orchids also went to Quarterback George Gilmartin who inspired his team-

Wilke in Action.





Captain Liber, ex-Marine, Totes Leather Against Quantico Marines.

mates with his excellent aerials. Carroll's Don Schula and Carl Taseff were responsible for the scare experienced by the Blue and White players.

#### XAVIER 42 - - MOREHEAD 7

It was a scrappy Morehead College

Finnell Carries Them Along.



eleven who attempted to provide the opposition for the tenacious Musketeers in the third game. But the Eagles, who had scored 104 points in two games, were just no match for the running of Wilke, Liber, Finnell, and Bernie Roeckers. An oddity on the field that evening was Morehead's Charlie Porter, the padless quarterback. Porter showed the 9000 fans that without shoulder and hip pads a passer is more limber. He completed 18 of 27 pass attempts.

#### XAVIER 7 - - MIAMI 0

Xavier marched to its fourth consecutive win of the season, and Wilke kept





Ausdenmoore



Bacci



Ballaban



Bleh



Buresh

Carinci



Finnell Romps Through Louisiana Tech Line.

his personal scoring intact when they out-powered the Oxfordites on a beautiful November afternoon. In the waning minutes of the first period Xavier's Neil Hardy intercepted a Wirkowski pass on the 40-yard line and returned it to the Miami 14. Three plays later Bulldozer Wilke went over from the two. Once again the Musketeer forward wall was anything but generous in giving ground to the Redskins.



Roeckers Stopped in His Tracks.

Curl



Domanico



Dowd



Erno



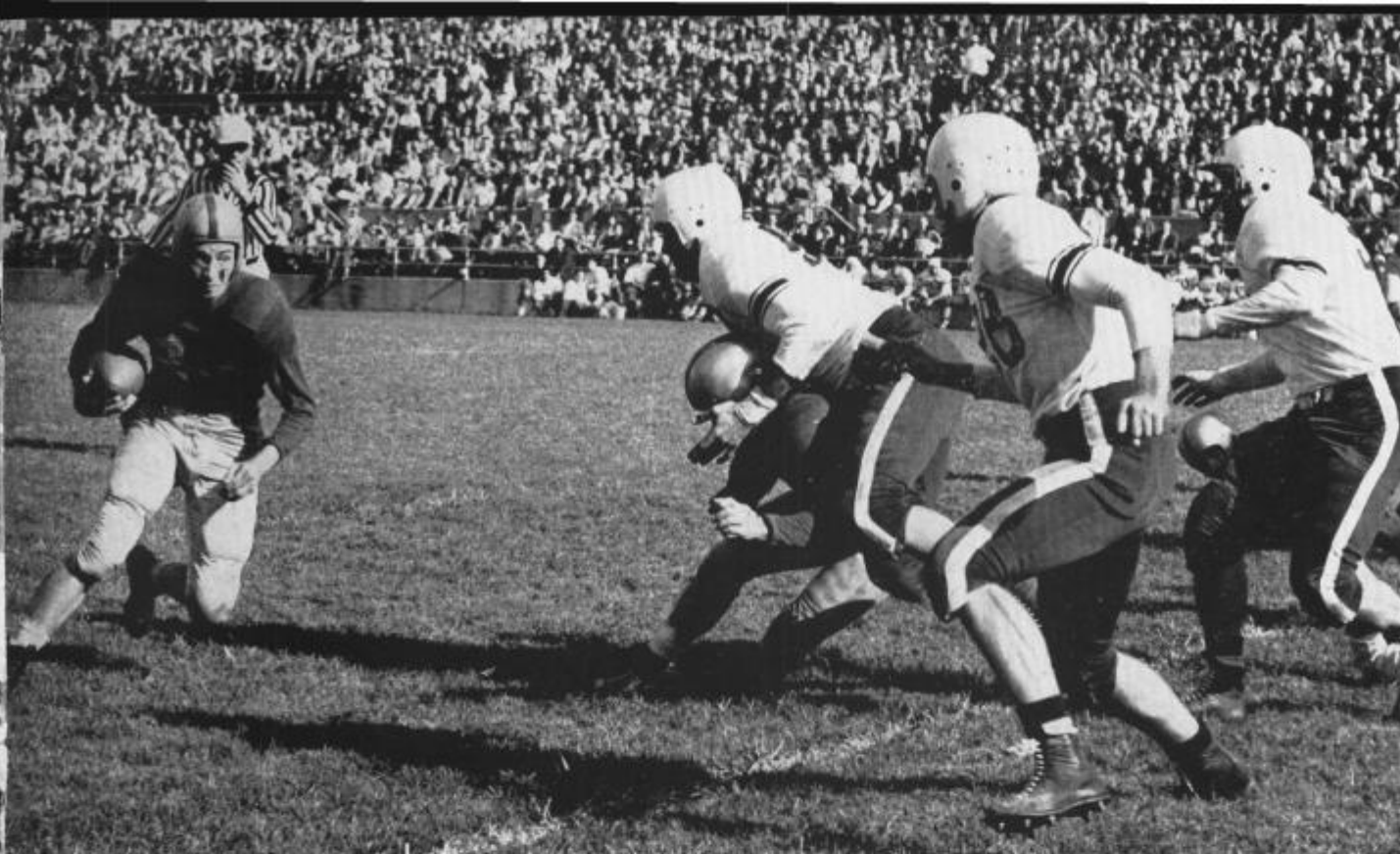
Fellerhoff



Fennell







Louisiana Tech Encounters Xavier's Line.



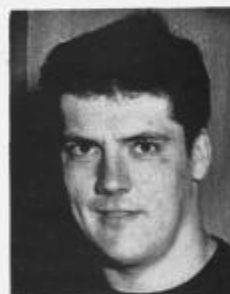
Keefe



Judy



Hogan



Hoffman



Hipp



Wilke Moves In.

## XAVIER 35 - - LOUISIANA TECH 21

With the mercury hovering in the high eighties, the Muskies first team entertained Louisiana Tech for about ten minutes and then turned the contest over to the second and third teams. Employing the now unfamiliar Notre Dame box-type T-formation, the Bulldogs found the home team's running attack a little too much to cope with. Led by Captain Liber, Finnell, Wilke, and Roeckers, the Blue

Finnell

Gearding

Gilmartin

Glade

Grace

Hahn

Hardy





O'Brien Snags a Pass Against Louisville.

Battalion ground out a total of 374 yards by rushing. Gerry Keefe had a perfect day in the extra point department, converting five times.

#### XAVIER 36 - - LOUISVILLE 13

Some 9,000 Homecoming Day football enthusiasts saw Xavier explode for 27

points in the second half to smother the visiting Cardinals. All the men in the Blue and White turned in a creditable performance, but one shone especially bright. It was Bob Finnell. In nineteen carries, Bob average 8.8 yards. One of his runs was a 54-yard trot, and another was 46--both for touchdowns.

Krigbaum

Lerario

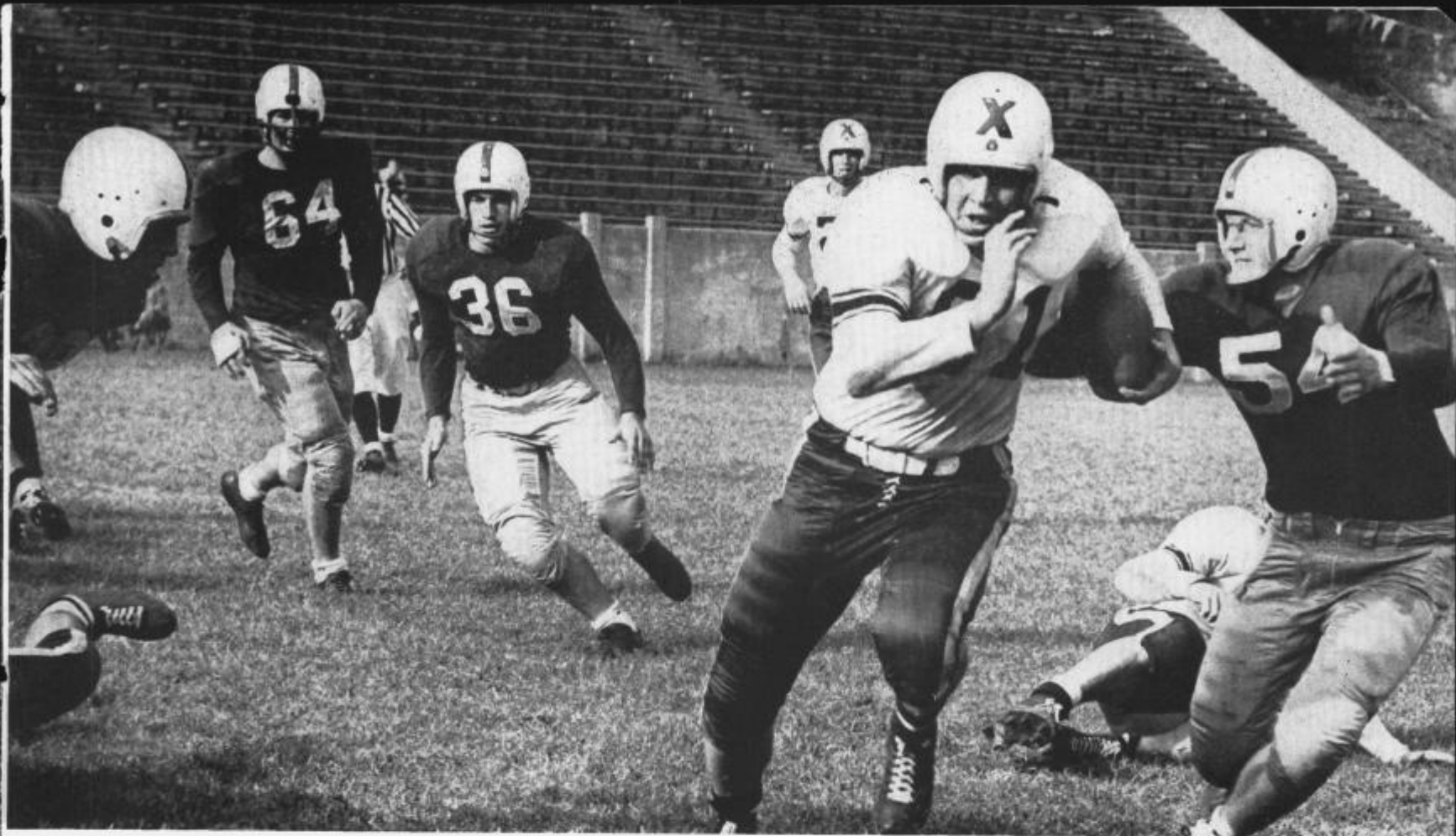
Liber

Martinkovic

Milostan

Murphy





Wilke Plowing Through Louisville.

## XAVIER 28 - - DAYTON 21

It was a victory for Xavier--their seventh straight--but it was a moral victory for the Flyers. Two early X drives were stalled within the Dayton 10-yard line by fumbles. In the second period, Xavier's Jim Liber and George Gilmartin spurred

the offensive attack. Liber scored from the five for one TD and then took a Gilmartin pass and raced 45 for another. Orchids for the longest runs of the day went to Dayton's Bob Recker, who went 99 yards on a punt return, and to Muskie Bob Finnell, who raced 75 for another

Mussio



O'Brien



Rankin



Robinson



Roeckers



Saban







Xavier Secondary Covers Against Dayton.

Saban Goes After a Dayton Receiver.



Xavier score. Cliff Wilke, having scored in his past seventeen games, was finally stopped.

#### XAVIER 20 - - CINCINNATI 33

Lady Luck frowned on the Musketeers in the local Game of the Year early in the first period. Plungin' Cliff Wilke, carrying for the first time in the game, picked

Schramm



Sikorski







Everybody Gets Into the Act.

up five yards and a broken left ankle. Immediately thereafter, the fact that the Xavier team had not played for three weeks began to show in the blocking and tackling of the Muskies -- they were definitely off. UC's Gene Rossi filled the air with aerals, and it proved too much for the already weak Xavier pass defense. Five of Rossi's passes resulted in direct

Martinkovic Pursues Dayton Back.



Skole

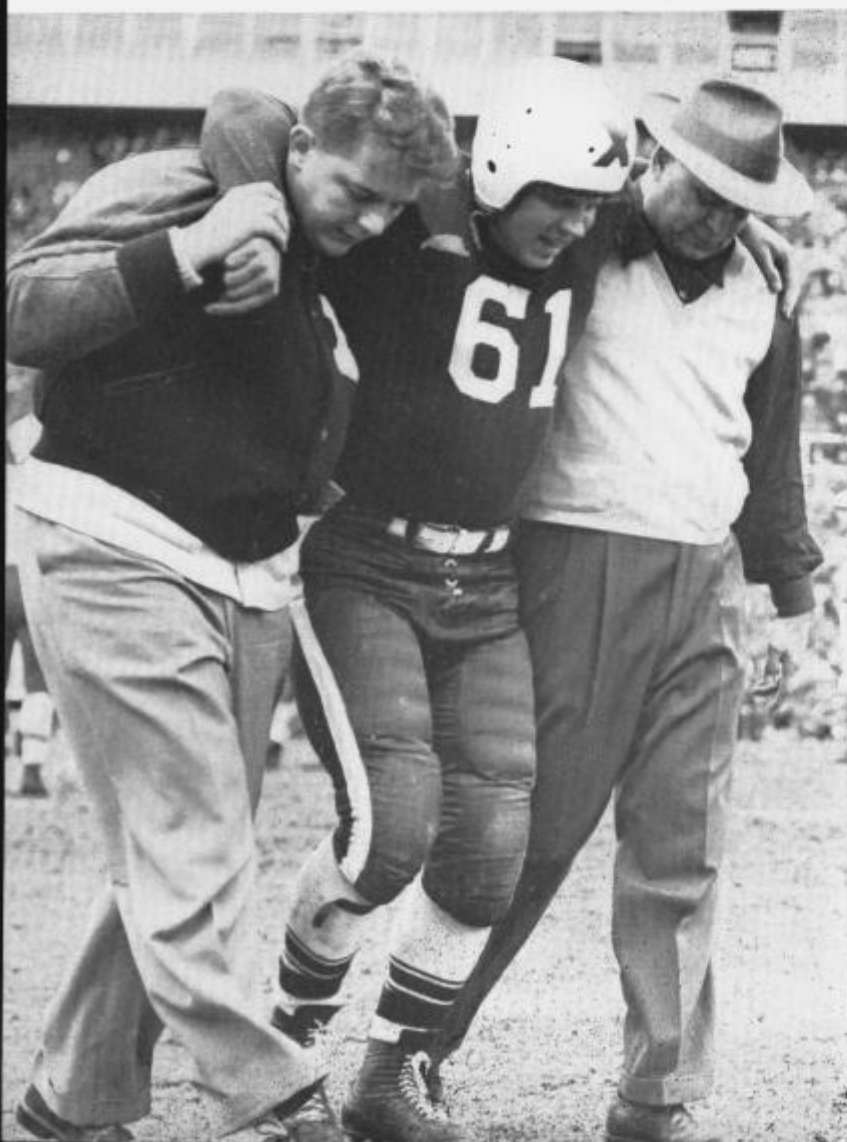
Wilke





Captain Liber Makes Yardage Against Cincinnati.

Wilke Fractures His Ankle.



six-pointers. The punting of Bernie Roeckers and the hard driving of Liber and Finnell stood out.

#### XAVIER 21 - - SAINT BONAVENTURE 14

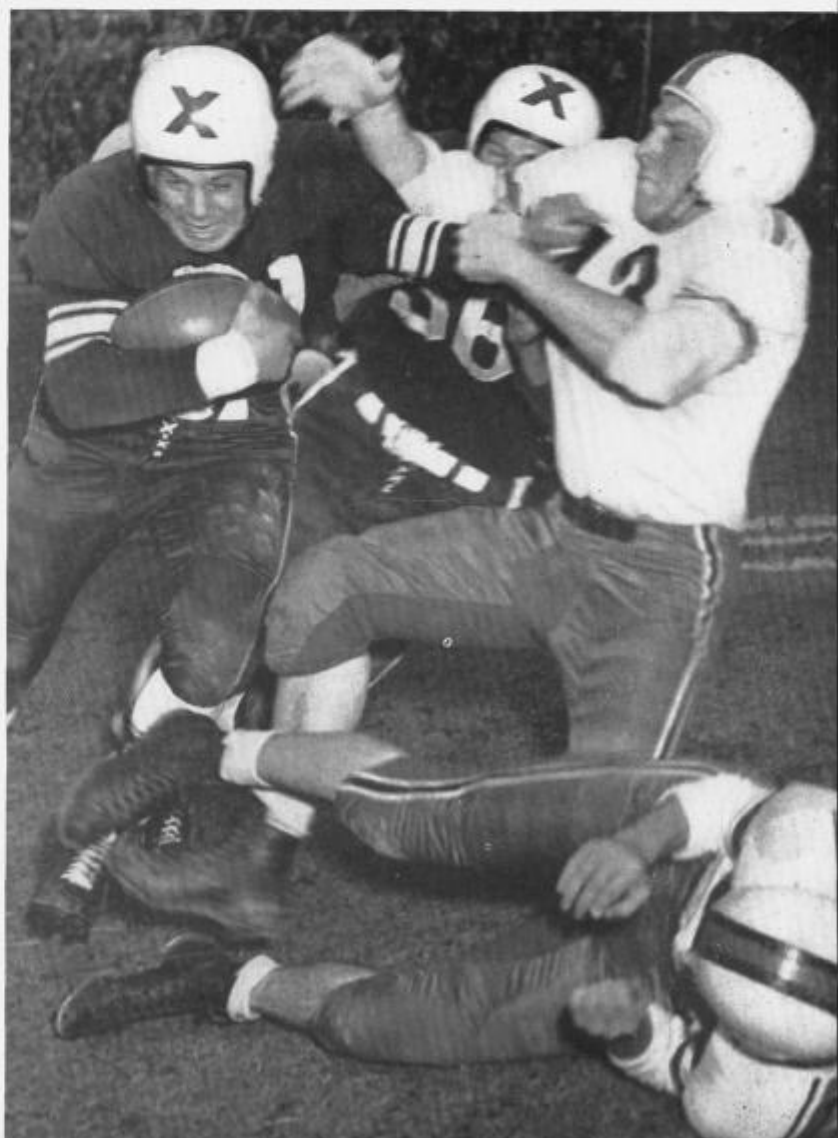
In a sea of mud, the Muskies played their best game of the year in stopping the Brown Indians from Olean, New York. Sparking the Xavier attack was Captain Jim Liber, who was playing his last game for the Blue and White. Scoring honors went to Liber, Roeckers, and



Xavier Defense Takes Cincinnati Ball Carrier.

O'Brien. The two successive Gilmartin-to-Roeckers-aerials proved to be the turning point in the contest. With the greater portion of play being centered in the middle of the muddy field, the stage was set for a famous O'Brien-end-around. Hughie churned up 87 yards down the grassy sidelines for the score. It was also a perfect day for Gerry Keefe, who converted all three placements. Incidentally, Keefe converted twenty-seven of thirty-one attempts in his senior year.

Captains Liber and St. Clair Meet in XU-UC Game.





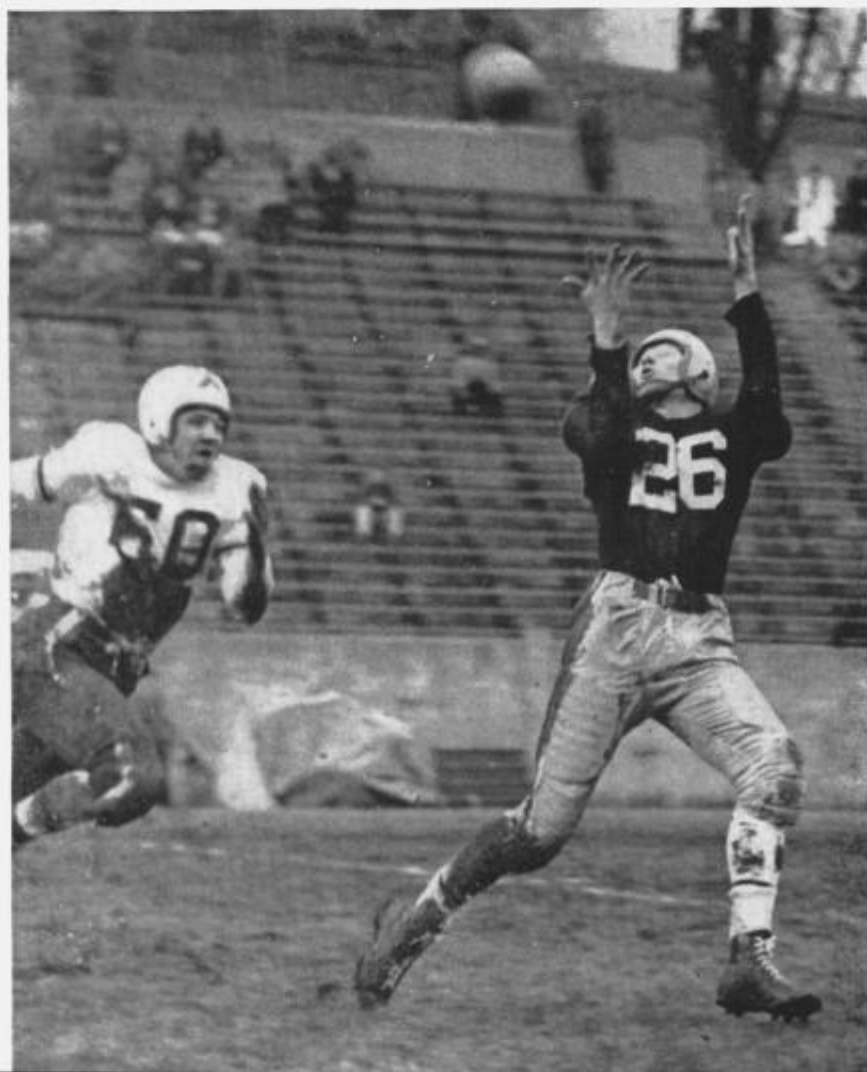


O'Brien Snags Pass in St. Bonaventure Game.

## The Yearlings

Records are sometimes deceiving. That's the case with the season record of the 1950 Xavier yearlings," which shows one win, one loss, and one tie. Ned Wulk's freshmen were big and fast, and the fruits of his work will be realized by Head Coach Ed Kluska next season.

Erno is Coming.





During their abbreviated season, line-men Chuck Jaworski, John Baele, Doe Russell, Elmer Kuntz, and Tom Powers showed they had the potentialities that could be shaped into varsity material for next season. Displaying power and plenty of drive in the backfield were Bob Judd, Buck Motz, Fred Piet, and John Byrne.

In their trio of encounters, the little Muskies tied Louisville 13-13, lost to Miami 7-12, and then routed Dayton 28-0.



Roeckers Receives Winning Touchdown Pass Against St. Bonaventure.

#### RESULTS OF THE 1950 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Xavier.....	34	Quantico Marines.....	13
Xavier.....	24	John Carroll.....	18
Xavier.....	42	Morehead.....	7
Xavier.....	7	Miami.....	0
Xavier.....	35	Louisiana Tech.....	21
Xavier.....	36	Louisville.....	13
Xavier.....	28	Dayton.....	21
Xavier.....	20	Cincinnati.....	33
Xavier.....	21	St. Bonaventure.....	14



Standing: Manager Beuley, Trainer Baldwin, Donovan, Budde, Coach Hirt, Smith, Moeller, Hils. Seated: Berning, Korb, Hoffer, Dean, Cady, Ruberg, Simms.

# Basketball

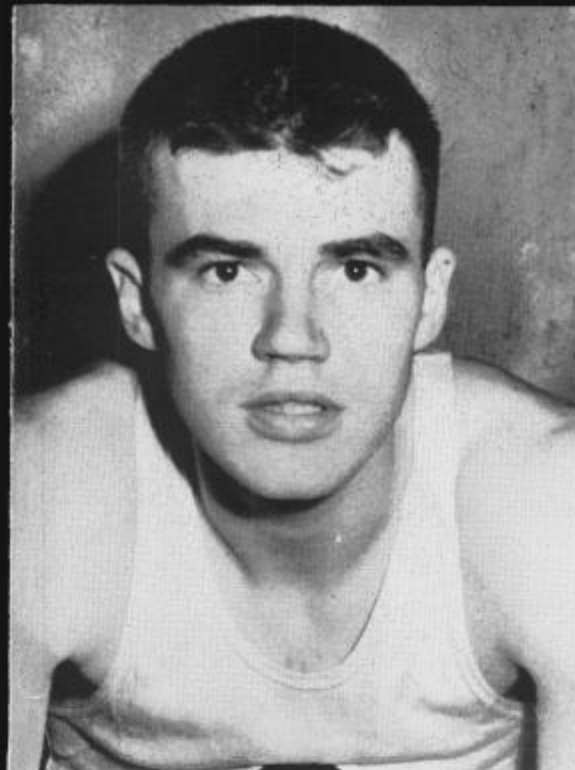
COACH LEW HIRT



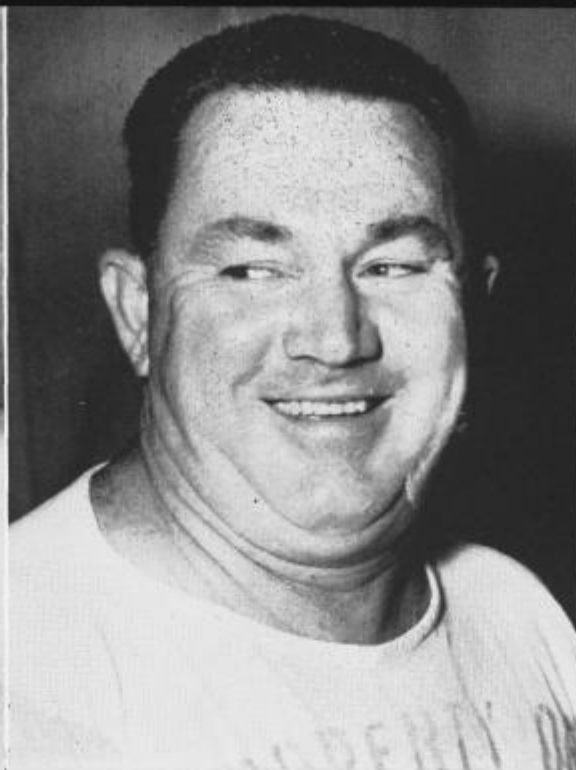
## RESULTS OF THE 1950 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Xavier	73	Ohio Wesleyan	40
Xavier	78	Hanover	47
Xavier	56	Kentucky	67
Xavier	79	John Carroll	56
Xavier	69	Evansville	71
Xavier	92	North Carolina	58
Xavier	70	Cincinnati	83
Xavier	67	Loyola, Illinois	65
Xavier	62	West. Kentucky	79
Xavier	55	Louisville	63
Xavier	60	Notre Dame	52
Xavier	64	Miami	49
Xavier	41	Tulsa	40
Xavier	79	Toledo	59
Xavier	65	Morehead	59
Xavier	77	Loyola, Maryland	53
Xavier	72	Miami	52
Xavier	57	Dayton	63
Xavier	51	Kentucky	78
Xavier	72	Louisville	69
Xavier	74	Kent State	57
Xavier	79	Gannon	67
Xavier	61	Toledo	70
Xavier	67	West. Kentucky	64
Xavier	53	Dayton	77
Xavier	66	Cincinnati	81

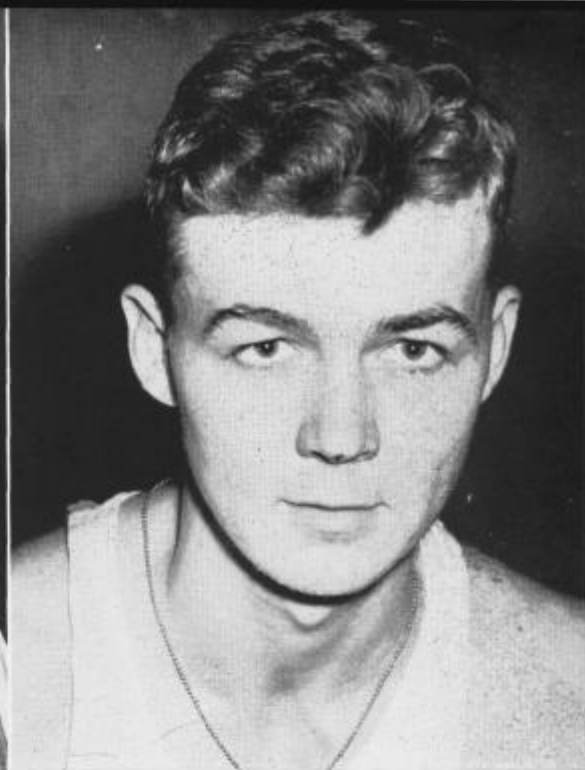
Won 16, Lost 10



Bob Alston  
Co-Captain



Ray Baldwin  
Trainer



Bob Dean  
Co-Captain

On the hardwood during the 1950-51 season the Xavier five really turned in a splendid performance. When the season ended, they had run up a record of sixteen wins against ten losses.

Six of the losses were to teams of national calibre. The Muskies lost twice to powerful Kentucky, twice to classy Dayton, and twice to the swift Bearcats of the University of Cincinnati--and all

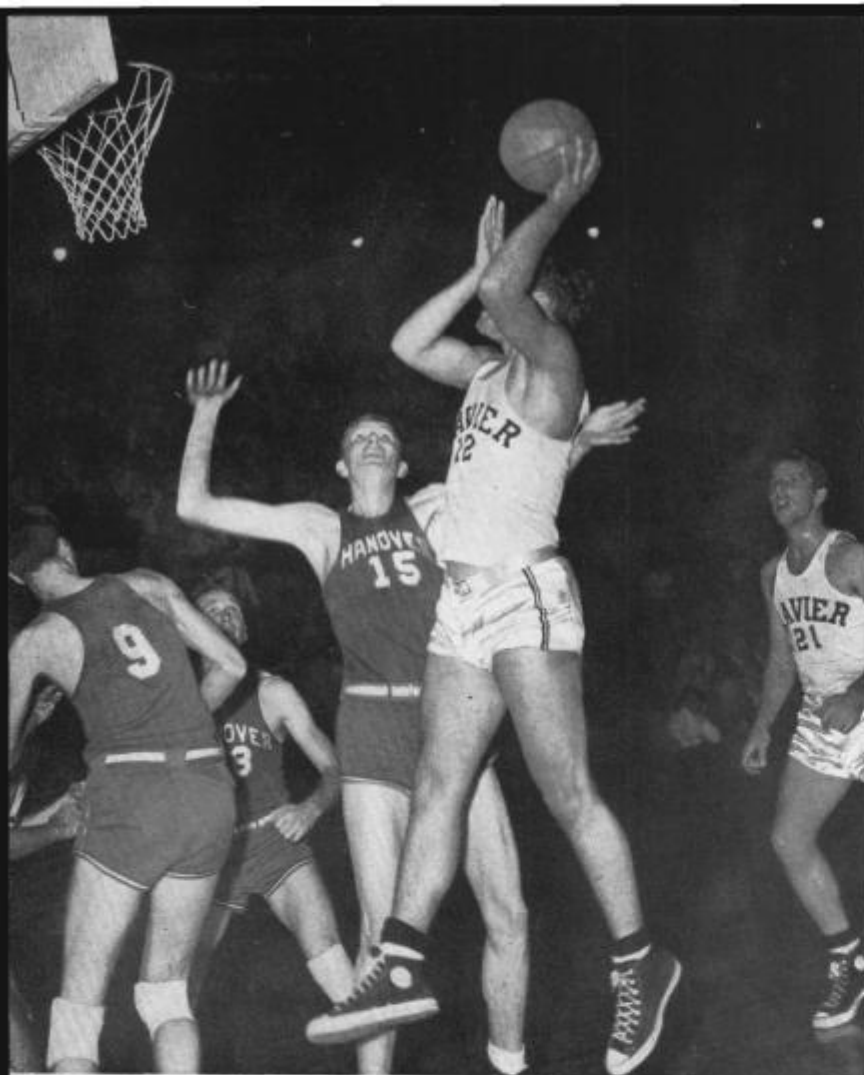
these clubs made impressive showings in post-season tournaments.

Coach Lew Hirt may well feel satisfied with the performance of his squad and with their outstanding sportsmanship on the court. As the strenuous campaign terminated, the collegiate careers of five truly great Musketeers, whom Xavier will long remember, came to an end. They are Captain Bob Dean, Bill Hoffer, Bill Cady, Dick Korb, and Don Ruberg. Salvos to them all!

Coach Hirt and Seniors: Ruberg, Korb, Dean, Cady, Hoffer.







Korb Shows Hanover His Method.

#### XAVIER 73--OHIO WESLEYAN 40

The 1950-51 season appeared to be quite rosy after Coach Lew Hirt's cage squad routed its opening-night opponent by an outlandish score.

Fourteen Xavier stalwarts turned in a creditable performance, but the star of the evening was Wesleyan's All-Ohio Jud Millhon, a shooting sensation.

#### XAVIER 78--HANOVER 47

Xavier's basketball machine gained additional momentum in its next outing by side-stepping Hanover College of Indiana. Center Gene Smith regained his 1949-50 scoring form and flipped in 19 points with teammates Huck Budde,

Bob Dean, and Bill Hoffer scoring in the lower double figures.

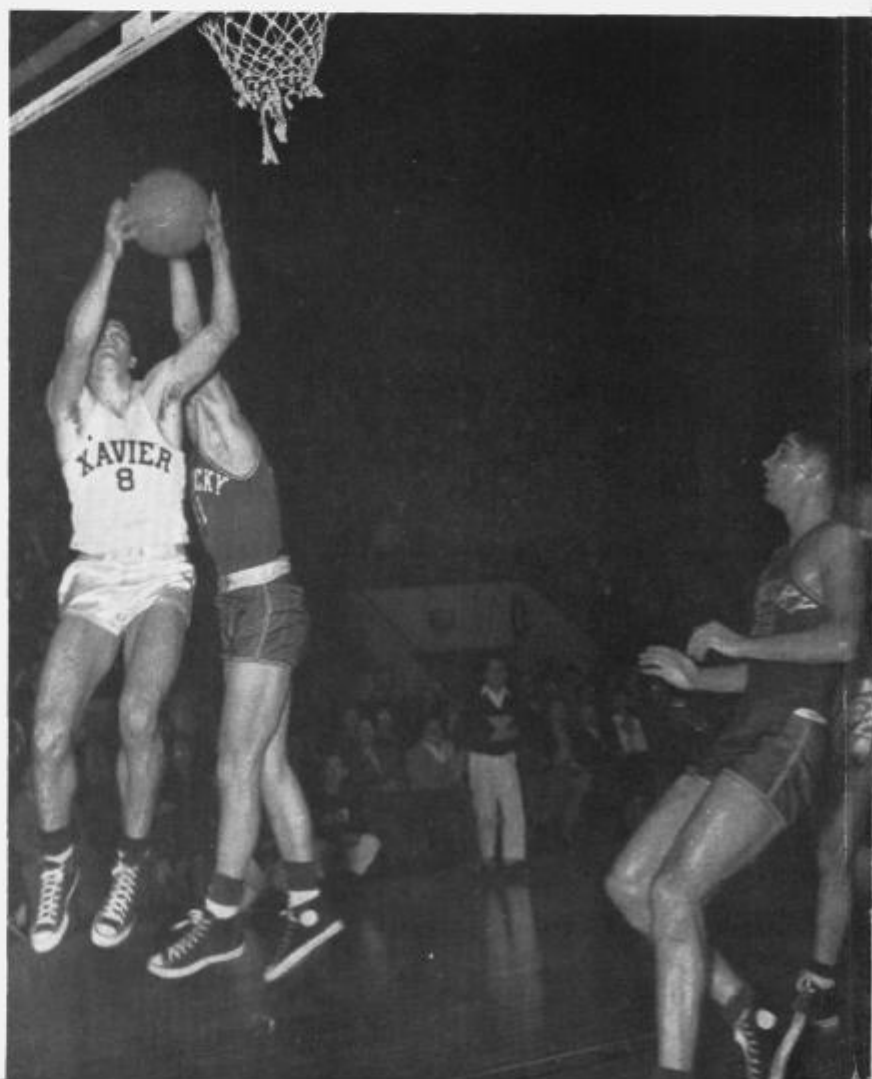
#### XAVIER 56--KENTUCKY 67

Holding the Kentucky Wildcats to a slim 28-26 halftime lead, the Musketeers withered under a quick basket attack which ensued in the early minutes of the last half. Kentucky remained No. 1 nationally as Center Bill Spivey scored 23 points to rout Xavier. Pacing the Blue and White attack were Bill Hoffer with 15 points, Bob Dean with 14, and Gene Smith with 11.

#### XAVIER 79--JOHN CARROLL 56

Some 1,400 Fieldhouse fans cheered the Muskies to their third win of the season

Alston Hits Crip of Kentucky.



--a convincing 79-56 victory over the Blue Streaks from Cleveland.

Coach Hirt's hoopsters played thirty minutes of all-star basketball after a rather sluggish first ten minutes. Twelve Xavier players broke into the scoring column. Center Gene Smith possessed the high rung with 18 tallies.

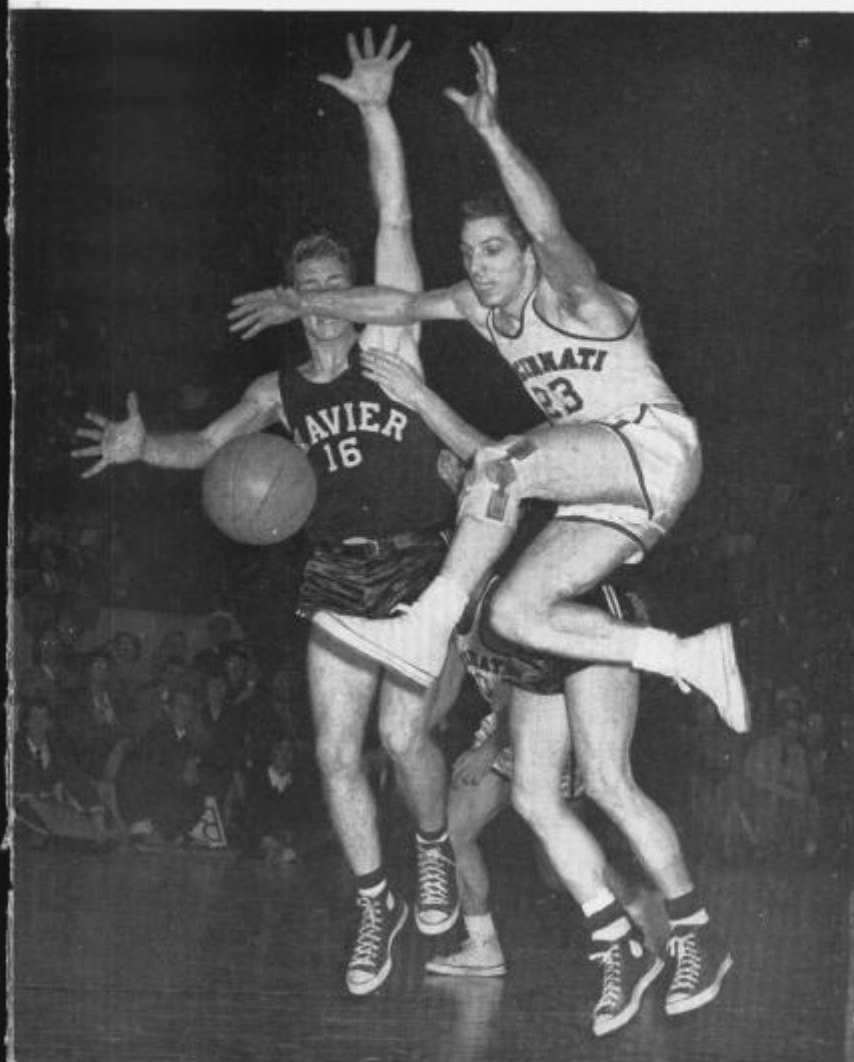
#### XAVIER 69--EVANSVILLE 71

Evansville's Purple Aces staged a down-to-the-wire finish to nose out the traveling Musketeers by two points at the Owensboro, Kentucky, Sports Center. Leading 41-31 at halftime, the Muskies failed to cope with the 43 per cent field goal accuracy of the Indiana club. Once again Gene Smith paced the Xavier at-



Smith Hooks Against Kentucky While Great Spivey Waits.

Xavier's Cady and Captain Luchi of Cincinnati Scramble.



tack with 25 points, while Bill Cady, Bob Dean, and Tom Simms each added 11.

#### XAVIER 92--NORTH CAROLINA 58

Utilizing the fast break for the first time of the season, the Hirtmen smothered the North Carolina Tarheels and also set a new scoring record. The Muskies eclipsed their old scoring record by six points.

#### XAVIER 70--CINCINNATI 83

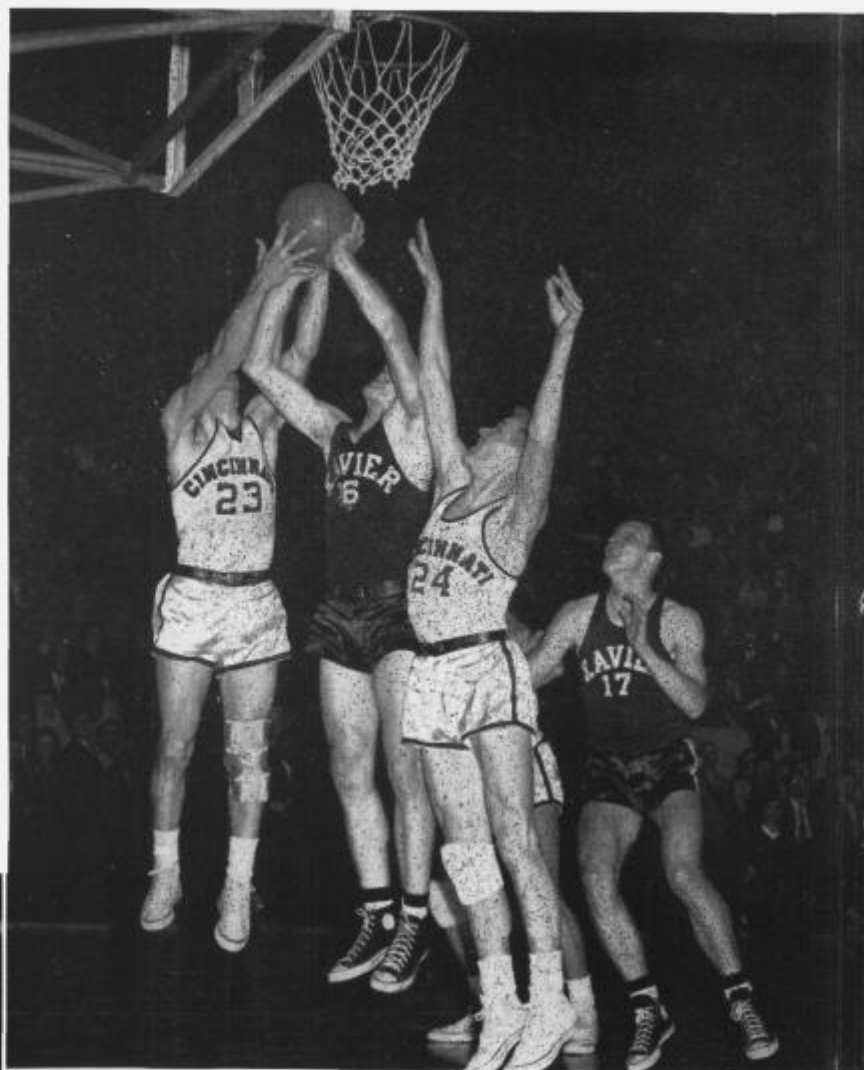
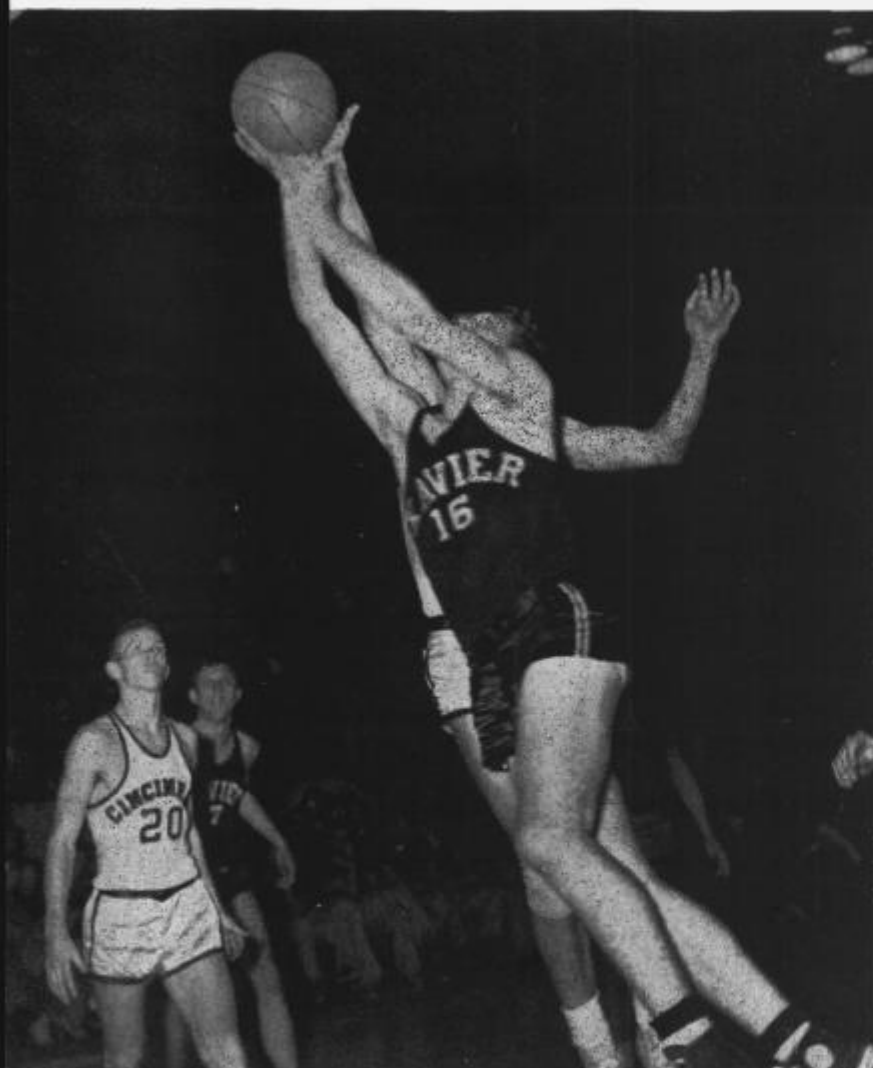
A record breaking crowd of 13,004 fans witnessed the sizzling Bearcat fast-break and the Musketeers' third defeat of the season. Cincinnati was in front all the way and led at halftime 43-33. It was a scoring battle between Joe Luchi of Cin-

cinnati and Bob Dean of Xavier. Luchi, Bearcat captain, netted 28 points while Co-Captain Dean meshed 23 points. The victory was a costly one for UC as their leading scorer, Larry Imburgia, was hospitalized with a severe knee injury.

#### XAVIER 67--LOYOLA OF CHICAGO 65

Xavier notched victory No. 5 when they engaged the Loyola Ramblers in one of the wildest games ever seen in the Fieldhouse. Xavier led 33-22 at the half, but had to go all out in the final seconds to eke out the two point triumph. Center Don Hanranhan and Forward Nick Kladis

Cady on the Rebound.



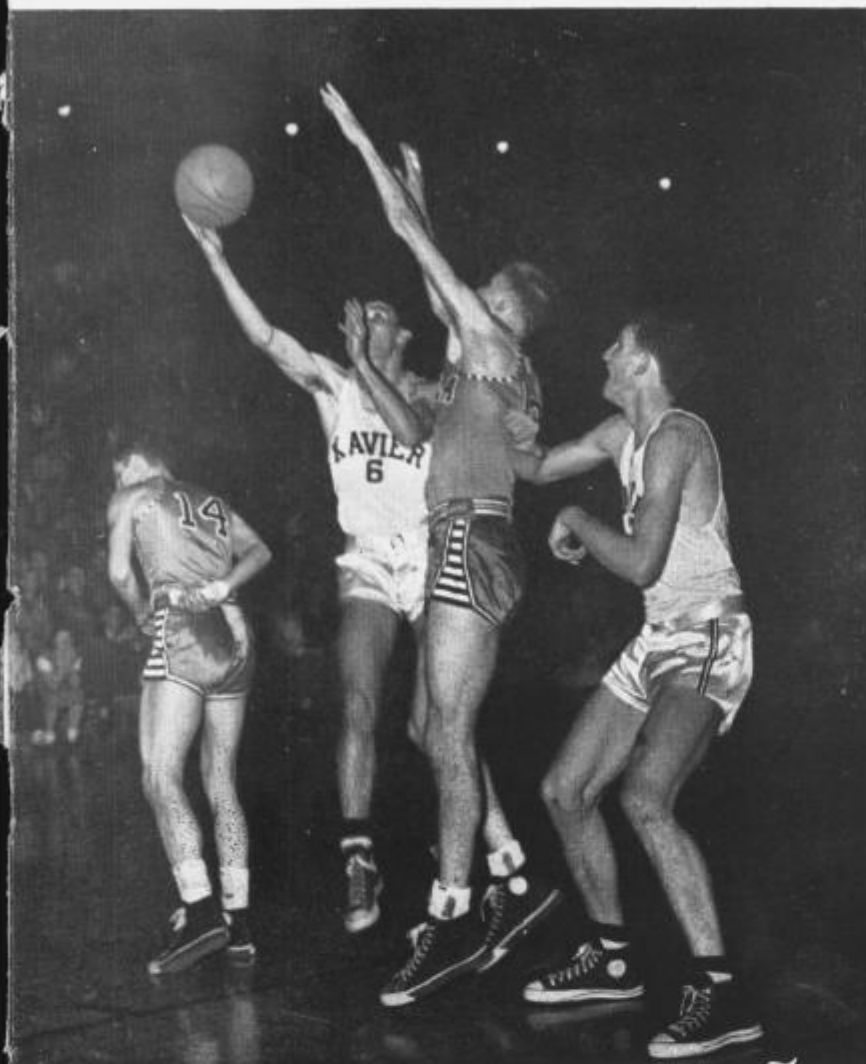
Congestion Under the Hoop.

were the best for the visitors, while Gene Smith and Dick Korb highlighted the Muskies' attack.

#### XAVIER 62--WESTERN KENTUCKY 79

The Musketeers suffered their worst defeat of the year when they met the Hilltoppers on another one of their disastrous road trips. Xavier trailed by five points at the intermission, but the gap widened as Center Gene Smith and Forward Chick Boxwell were sidelined early in the second half on fouls. Jack Turner and Rip Gish paced the Bluegrass Boys with 21 and 18 points, respectively.





Hoffer Drives In.

#### XAVIER 55--LOUISVILLE 63

Louisville handed the Hirtmen their fifth loss. Playing thirty minutes of sensational basketball, the Blue and White cagers tired in the waning minutes as Bob Lockmueller and his Cardinal cohorts continued to increase their lead. The Muskies lost the full services of their leading scorer, Gene Smith, who was stricken with a stomach ailment shortly before the contest.

#### XAVIER 60--NOTRE DAME 52

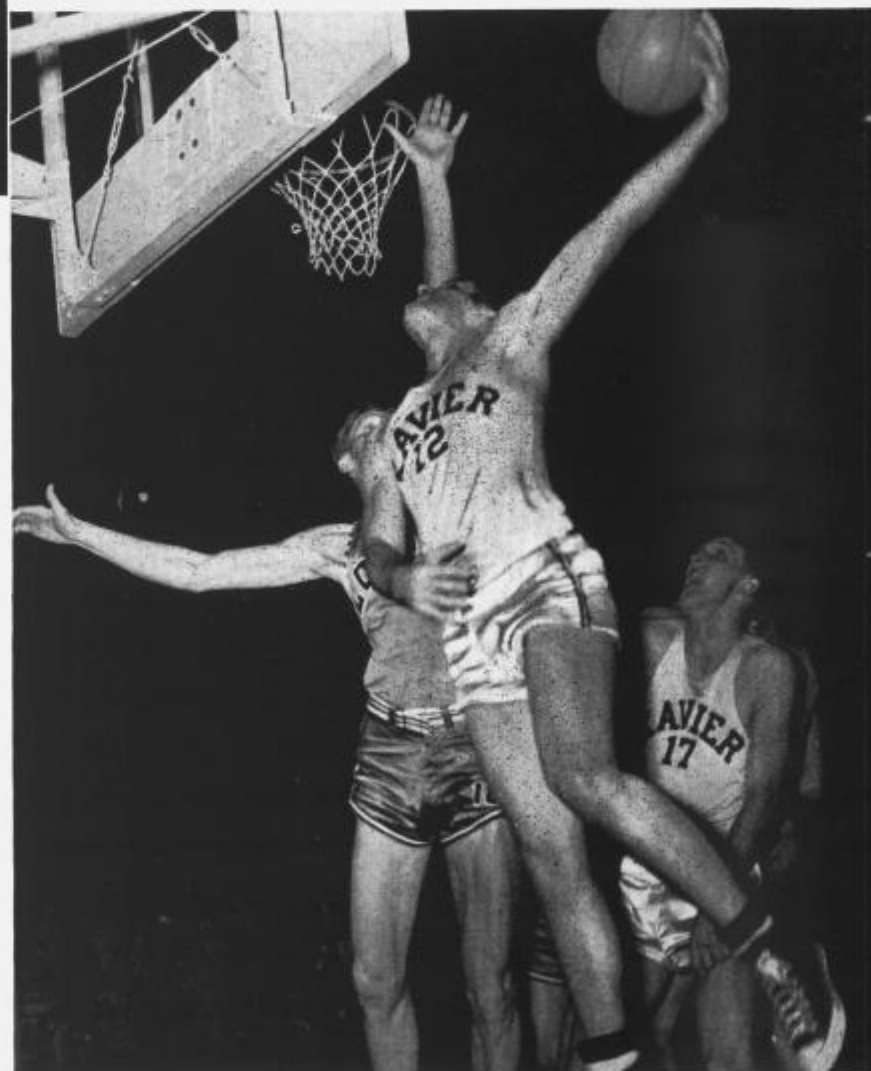
Returning to their extremely slow and easy style of play, the Musketeers

humbled Notre Dame's Fighting Irish before 5,000 fans at the Cincinnati Garden. Muskie Chick Boxwell was a forty-minute-menace to the visitors as he flipped in 18 points and was constantly spoiling Notre Dame plays. Hitting for 14 points, Bill Cady showed the Xavier followers he had returned to his old shooting accuracy.

#### XAVIER 64--MIAMI, OHIO 49

Xavier throttled the Redskins before a packed house at Oxford. Once again Chick Boxwell led the Blue and White scoring by tallying 18 points in the first

Korb Under the Basket.



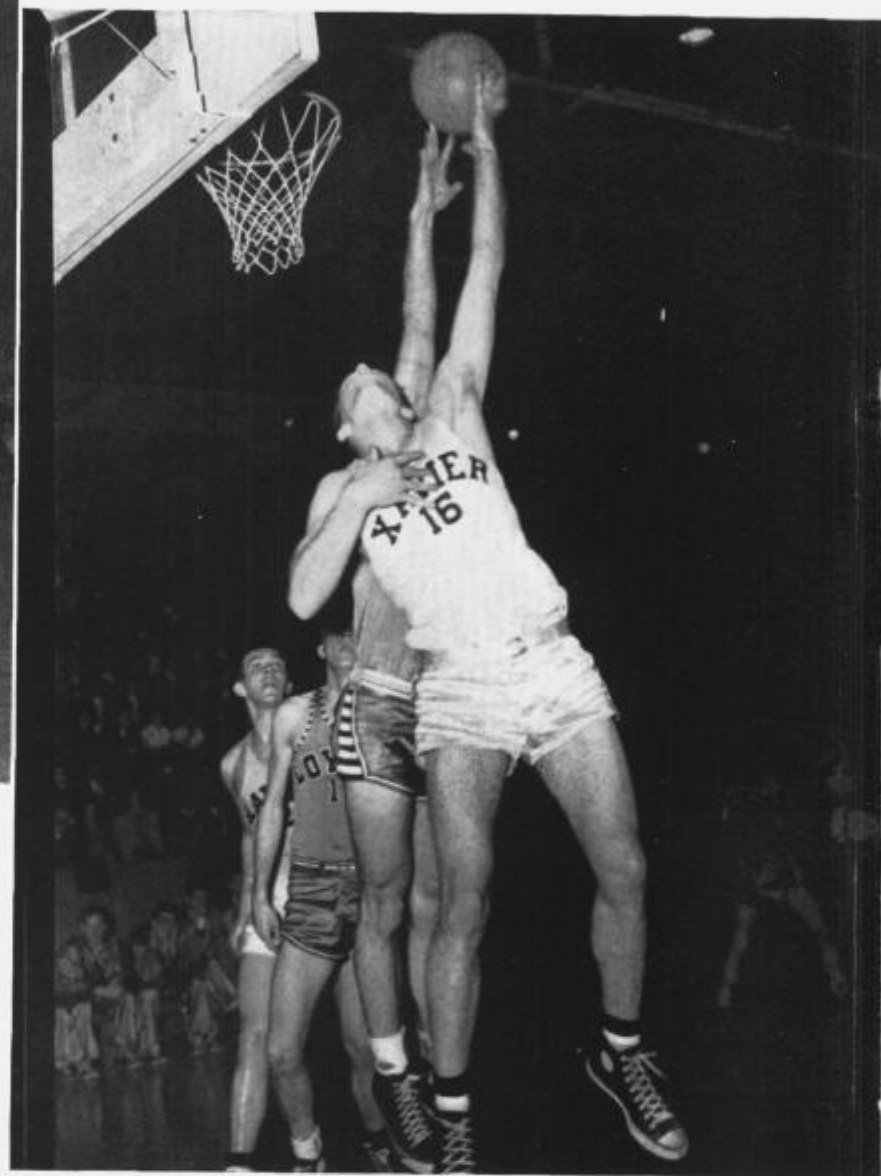


Dean Taps Against Loyola.

half. Center Gene Smith and Forward Bob Dean took up the scoring punch in the final half and ended the game with 15 and 13 points, respectively.

#### XAVIER 41--TULSA 40

Leading 25-12 at intermission time, the Musketeers had to go all out in their drive to hold a blistering second-half attack by the Oklahomans. Erratic shooting and passing on behalf of both clubs disappointed the Fieldhouse gathering. As for the individual star of the evening, honors went to Marc Arlington of Tulsa,



Cady Tries Against Loyola.

who tallied 12 points on his unique one-handed push shots.

#### XAVIER 79--TOLEDO 59

Shortly after the Tulsa tussle the Musketeers met their time-honored rivals from the University of Toledo and con-

quered them in a one-sided contest. The Rockets seemed to be suffering an off night, while the Musketeers were hot. It was another story when the teams re-met later in the season.

#### XAVIER 65--MOREHEAD 59

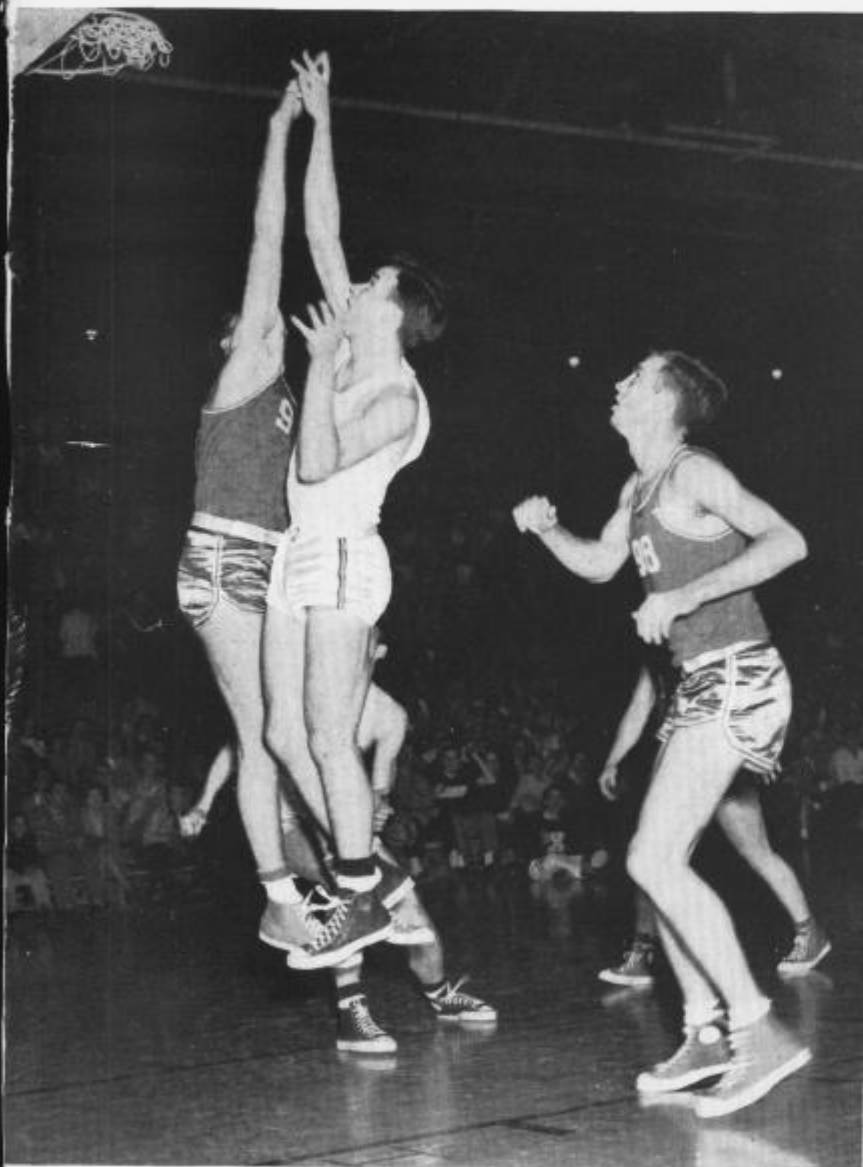
Scrappy Morehead of Kentucky, a Mid-west dark horse all season, made the Mus-

keteers give their all for victory before a neutral crowd in Maysville, Kentucky. Xavier's scoring triumvirate of Bob Dean, Bill Cady, and Gene Smith paced the Blue and White attack with 13, 18, and 23 points, respectively. The win was Xavier's fifth consecutive and their tenth triumph in sixteen games.

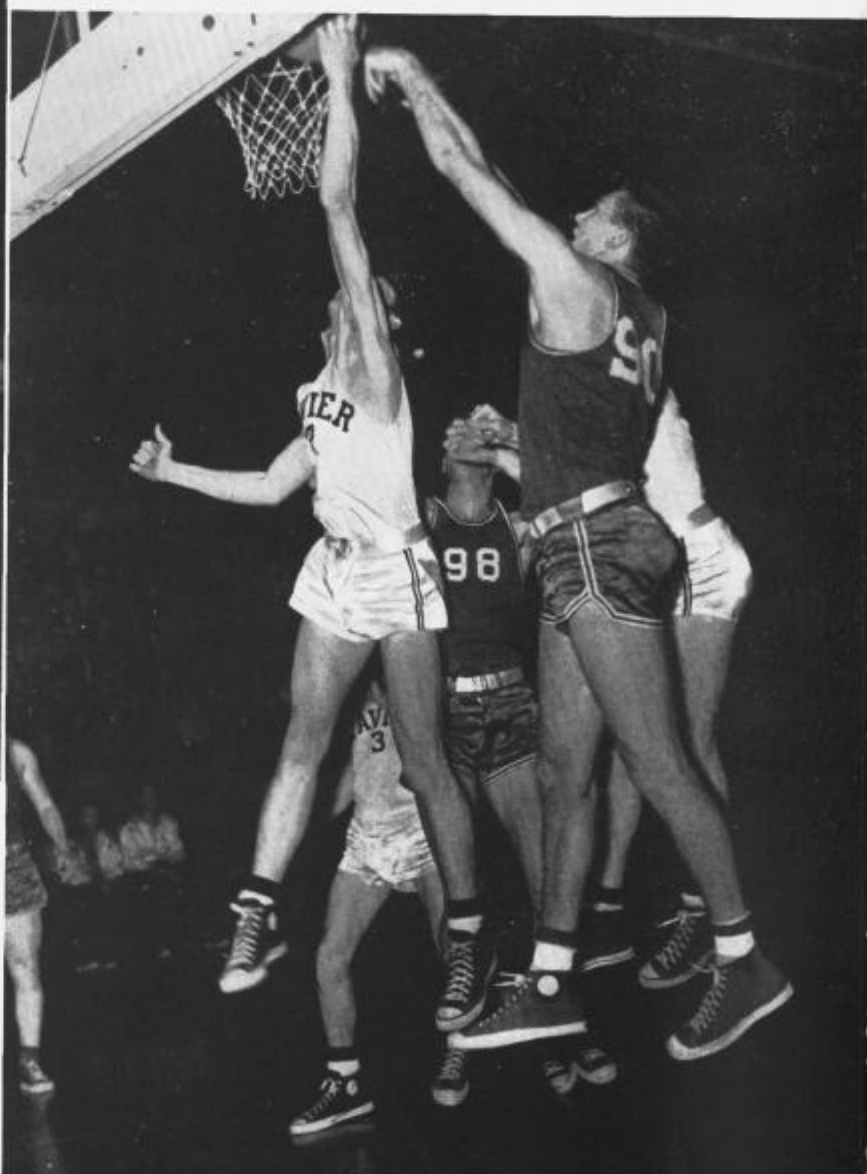
#### XAVIER 77--BALTIMORE LOYOLA 53

Xavier remained unbeaten on the Field-house planks by routing a befuddled Loyola of Baltimore quintet. The game provided Coach Lew Hirt with the long awaited chance of inserting Sophomores

Smith Hits Two-Pointer.



Hoffer Scores Against Western Kentucky.



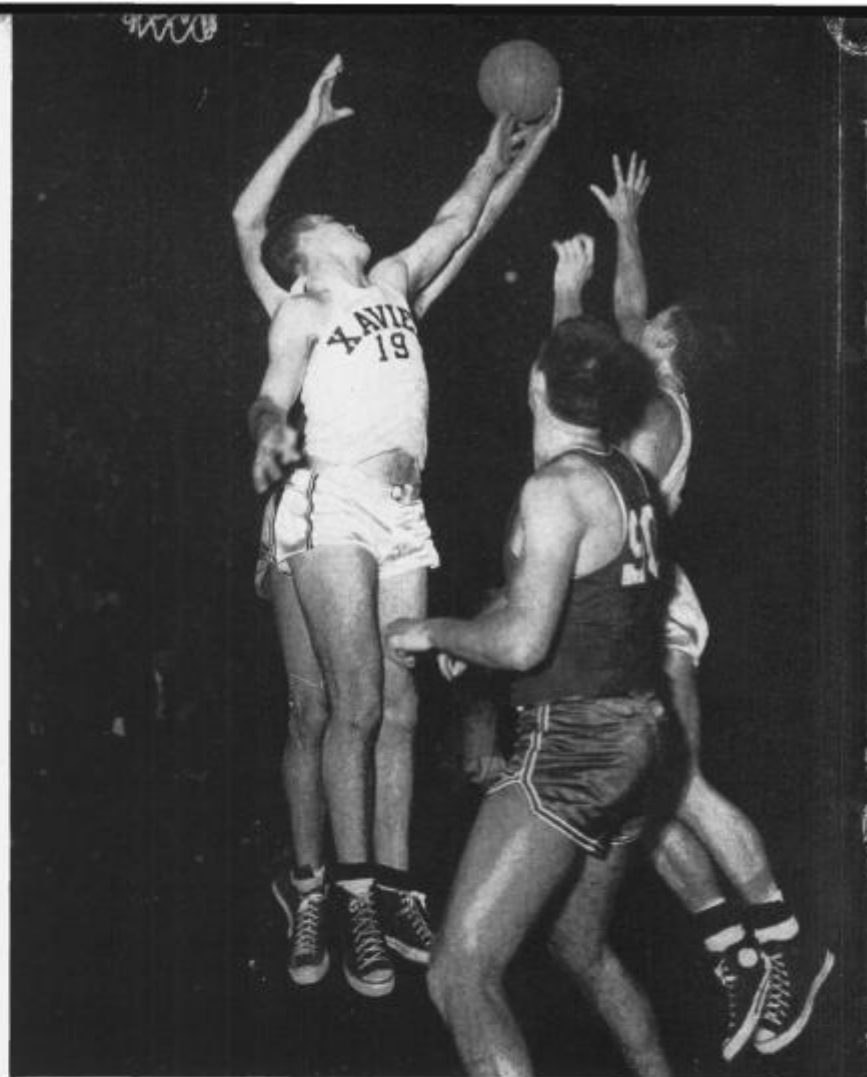
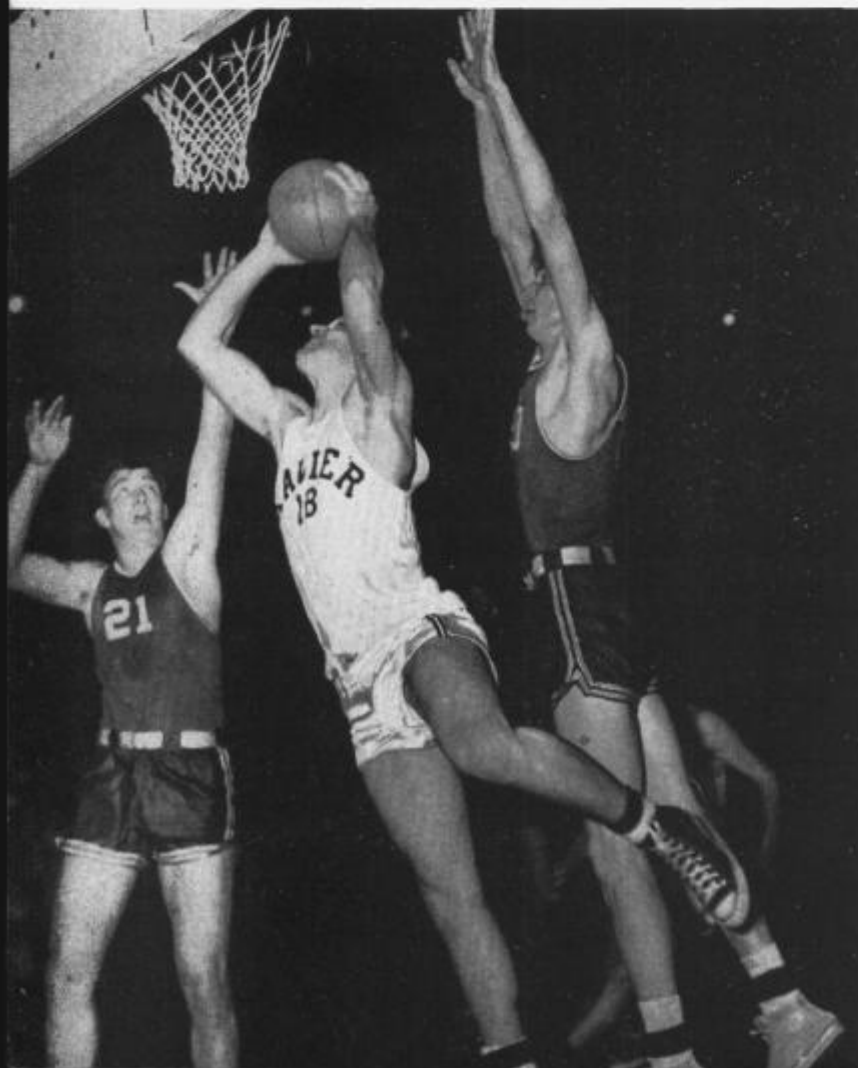


Dave Hils, Dick Berning, and Joe Mueller into their initial varsity contest. Guard Tom Simms lashed the nets for 17 points for the Hirtmen, while a pair of Irish guards, Vince Gallagher and Ed Doherty, garnered 12 apiece for the Greyhounds.

#### XAVIER 72--MIAMI 52

Senior sensationalist Bill Cady tossed in 22 points against the visiting Miami Redskins to aid his team in latching on to their seventh consecutive victory and the twelfth win of the season. Xavier's possession style and its ability to pilfer through Miami's tight zone defense were the factors for victory.

Korb Drives In.



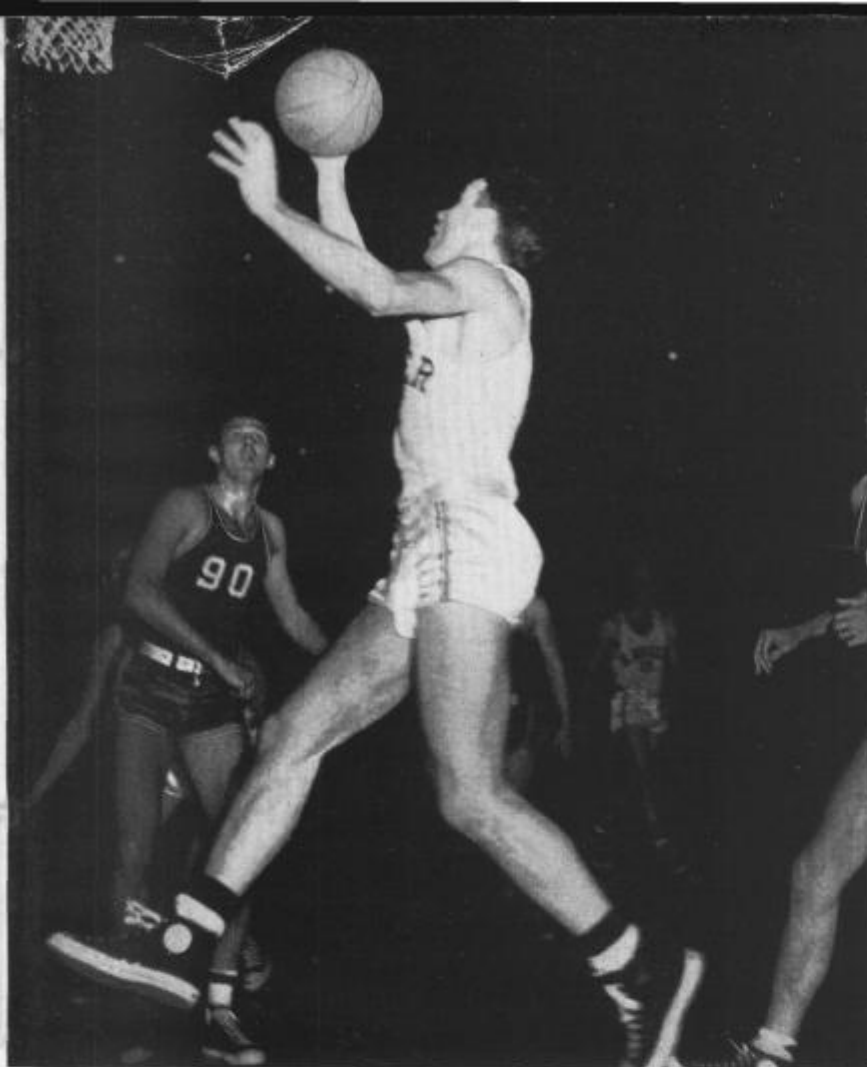
Dean and Budde Head for the Rafters.

#### XAVIER 57--DAYTON 63

Some 5,000 fans jammed the Xavier Fieldhouse to see the classy performance of Dayton's Cinderella Kids. This was the fourth time the Flyers defeated the Musketeers in two years. Don "Monk" Meineke, Dayton's tall center, scored 22 points and thus kept his 20-points-per-game average intact. Bill Cady kept the Hirtmen in the game with his 18 markers.

#### XAVIER 51--KENTUCKY 78

Kentucky's big Bill Spivey meshed 40 points against the Musketeers and thus gave U. K. its 28th victory over Xavier in the thirty times the two teams have met



Hoffer Sizzles This One.

on the hardwood. It also marked Kentucky's ninety-fourth consecutive home triumph. Speedy Bill Hoffer was the best for the Muskies with his much needed 17 points.

#### XAVIER 72--LOUISVILLE 69

It was a nip and tuck contest all the way when the Musketeers and the Cardinals met for the second time. The Hirtmen roared into a 38-35 halftime advantage and then matched Louisville point for point in the final stanza to come forth with a three-point win. Gene Smith was high for X with 21 while Louisville's Bob Brown gathered 18.

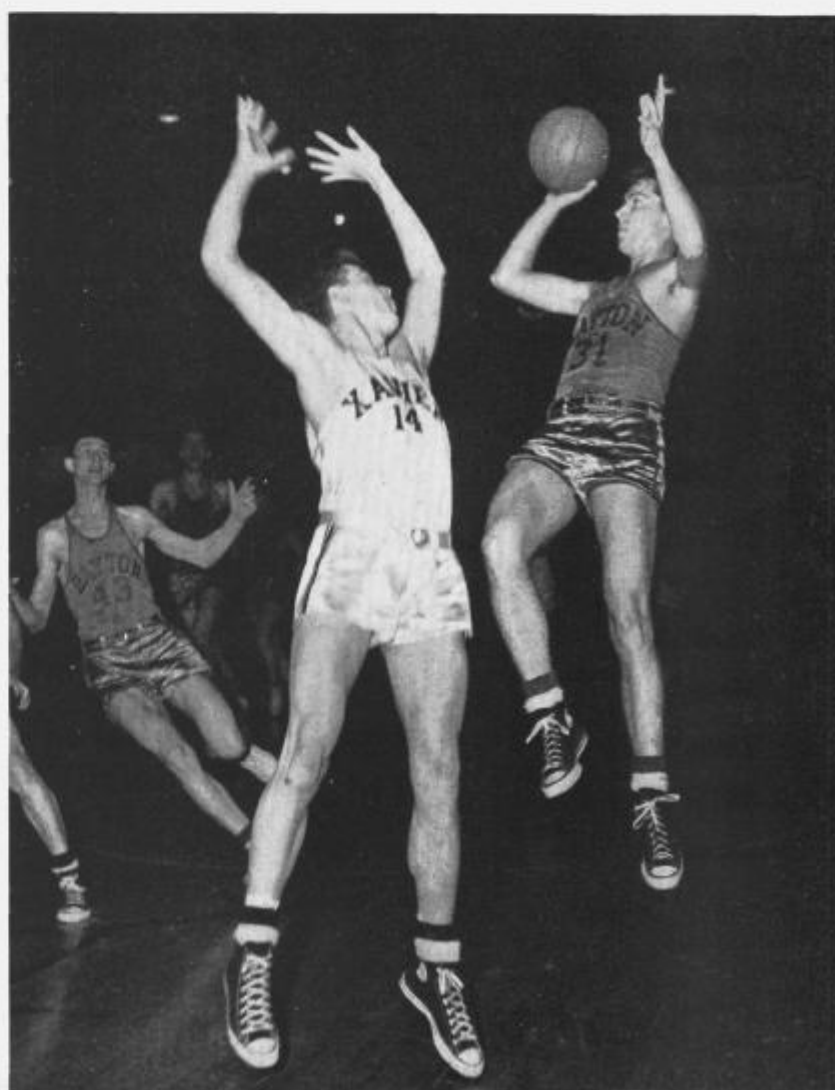
#### XAVIER 74--KENT STATE 57

The highly favored Musketeers had a rugged time during the first half, which ended 31-31. Superior class was displayed by Xavier in the final stanza leaving Coach Hirt with the opportunity to inject several of his little-played sophomores. Captain Bob Dean paced the Musketeers with 16 points.

#### XAVIER 79--GANNON 67

Despite the closeness of the final score, the Gannon team was hardly a match for the tall Muskies. Using his second and third teams, Coach Hirt piled up a 45-28 halftime margin and then coasted.

Oh, Those Dayton Flyers.





Dean and Smith After a High Flyer.

Dick Korb and Huck Budde increased their season's point total with 16 and 12 points respectively.

#### XAVIER 61--TOLEDO 70

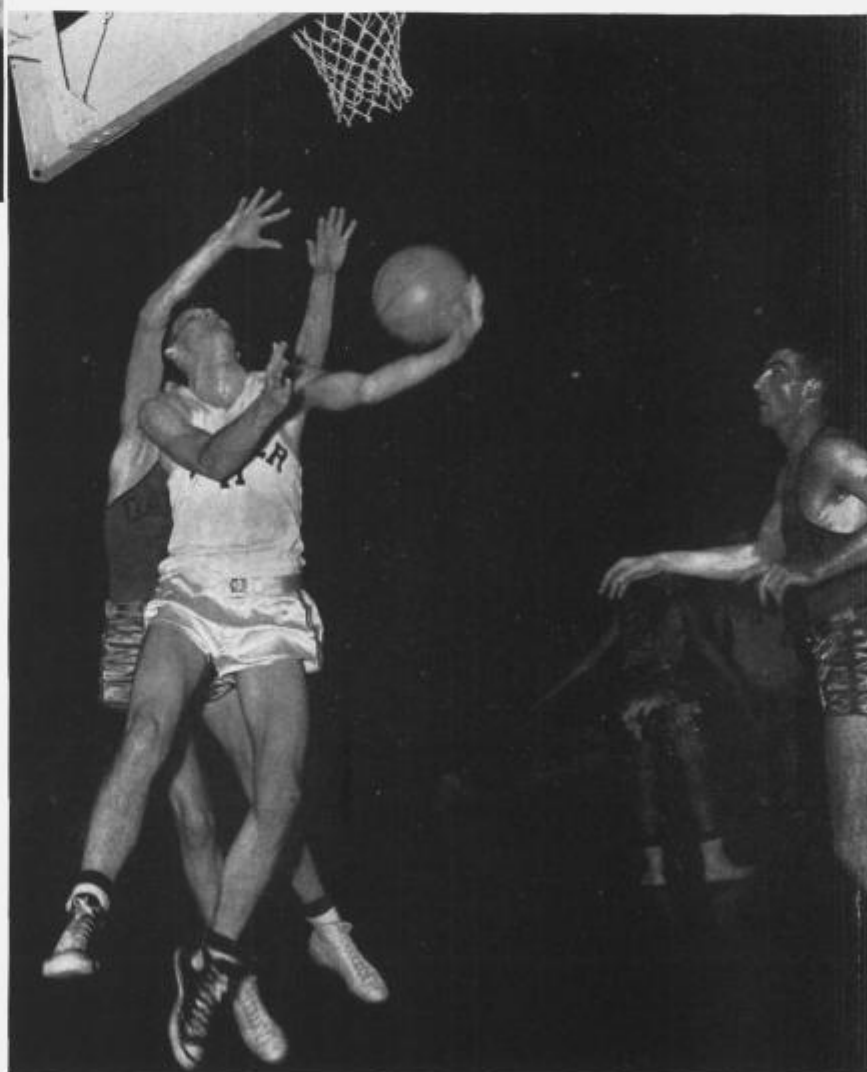
Hitting with uncanny accuracy, the revenge-thirsty Toledo Rockets blasted the traveling Musketeers with a nine point defeat. Xavier's Gene Smith established a new scoring record for an individual XU performer. Smitty had 14 points which gave him 328 for the season, which was five points better than Art

Morthorst's old record. Bob McDonald was high for Toledo with 17 markers.

#### XAVIER 67--WESTERN KENTUCKY 64

Coach Lew Hirt Night was a real success. Some 3,500 excited cage fans saw the Muskies turn the tables on the highly favored Hilltoppers. Xavier was trailing 31-40 at the intermission but roared back with Bill Hoffer, Gene Smith, and Dick Korb leading the way with 14 points. Frank Wallheiser, Western forward, led both clubs with 17 points. A Hamilton delegation of Lew Hirt backers gathered

A Smith Hook Shot.



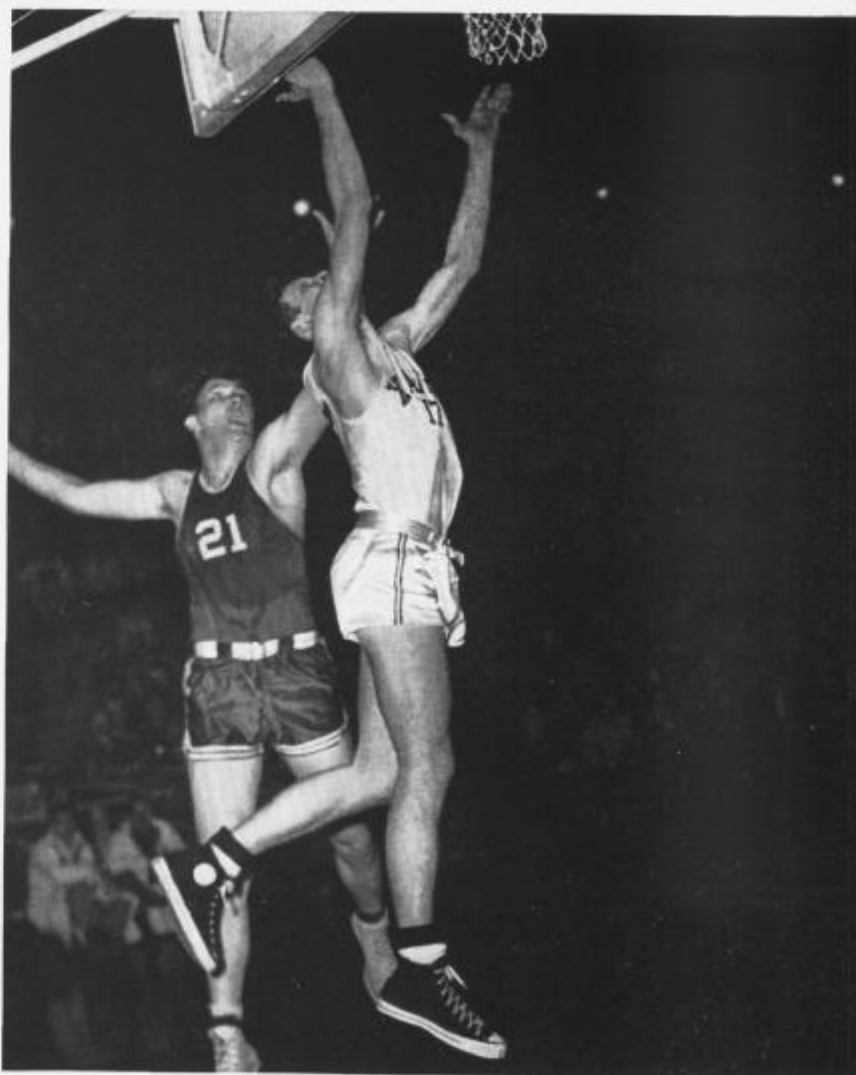
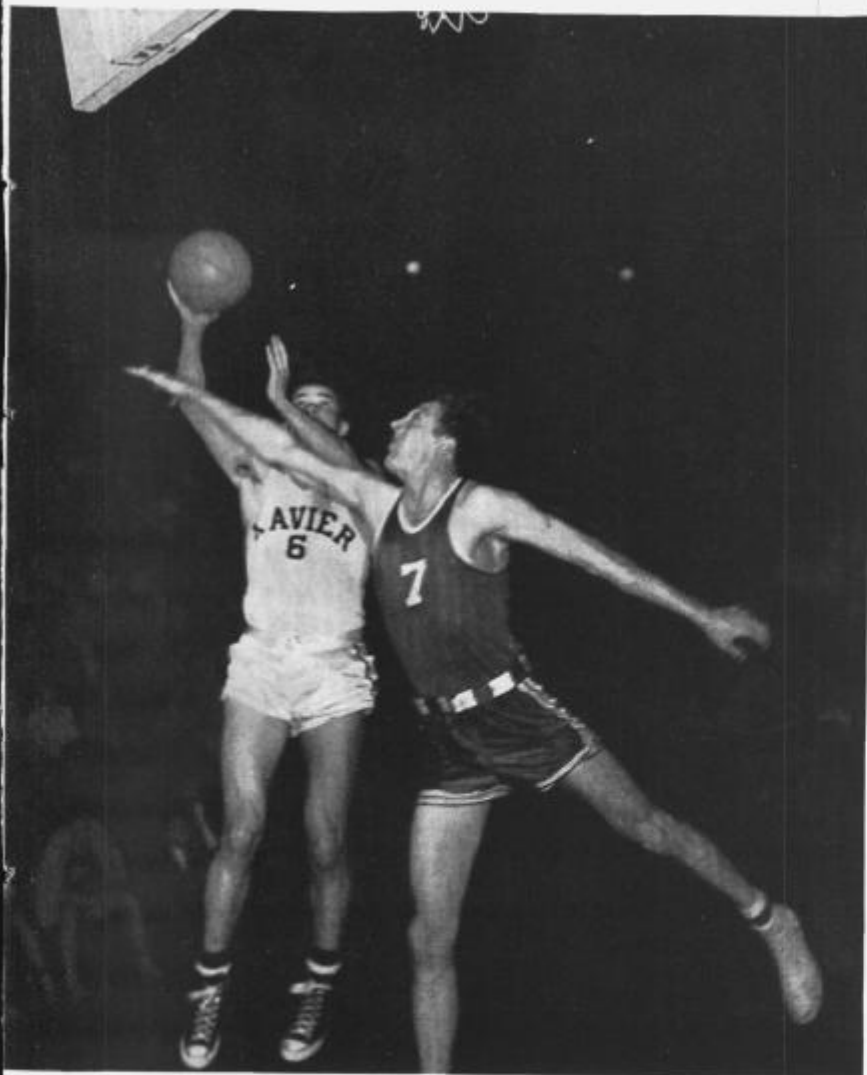


on the Fieldhouse floor before the game and presented him with gifts.

#### XAVIER 53--DAYTON 77

Dayton's NIT-runners-up completely outclassed the Musketeers in this encounter. Dayton controlled the rebounds on both bankboards throughout the game. As usual, Don Meineke, Dayton's 6-foot, 7-inch center, was the star of the evening with his 22 points. Nevertheless, Captain Bob Dean held up the Xavier end before the 5,500 fans by flipping in 15 points.

Hoffer Makes It Against Louisville.



Smith Makes Good.

#### XAVIER 66--CINCINNATI 81

The Bearcats were too fast for the Musketeers again. Both clubs played a rough but top flight first half. Xavier let it go at that, while UC went wild with their fast break offense and their all-court-press type of defense. Bearcat Jim Holstein was the brightest star of the evening as he tossed in 30 points. Bobby Dean, injured in the last half after sparking a futile Muskie drive, had 20. He also was awarded the Xavier News Most Valuable Player Award.

# Spring Sports

Spring sports at Xavier included baseball, golf, and tennis. As *The Musketeer* '51 went to press, Coach Ned Wulk's nine faced a schedule of sixteen games. Captain Don Ruberg and his teammates were to play the following schools:

April 14, Miami at Oxford; April 17, Indiana at Bloomington; April 18, Louisville at Louisville; April 21, Chase College at home; April 24, Dayton at Dayton; April 27, Cincinnati at UC; April 28, Marshall at Huntington; May 1, Eastern Kentucky at home; May 5, Marshall at home; May 9, Louisville at home; May 12, Eastern Kentucky at Richmond; May 15, Cincinnati at home; May 17, Ohio U. at home; May 19, Dayton at home; May 21, Chase at Taft Field; May 23, Miami at home.

The Musketeers of the fairway, under the tutelage of Coach Ray Baldwin, also had a sixteen-match schedule, which included triangular meets with Ohio University and the University of Cincinnati, and with the University of Detroit and the University of Cincinnati.

The complete schedule: April 20, Hanover, Indiana; April 24, Dayton at Dayton, Ohio; April 27, Dayton at home; April 30, Kentucky at home; May 1, Louisville at home; May 3, John Carroll at home; May 4, Miami at home; May 8, Ohio U., Cincinnati, Xavier at home; May 9, Wright-Patterson Air Base at home; May 15, Louisville at Louisville; May 17, Kentucky at Lexington; May 18, Detroit, Cincinnati, Xavier at Cincinnati; May 21, Ohio State at Columbus; May 22, Hanover at home.

Coach Clarence Wobbe, former Xavier netman, returned to the campus to guide the racket-wielders in their ten-game schedule. Home and home matches were arranged with the University of Cincinnati, Dayton, Eastern Kentucky, and Marshall.

The netmen's schedule: April 19, Marshall at Huntington; April 24, Dayton at Dayton; May 1, Eastern Kentucky at home; May 5, Marshall at home; May 8, Dayton, at home, May 10, Cincinnati at Cincinnati; May 12, Eastern Kentucky at Richmond; May 15, Cincinnati at home; May 18, Miami at home; May 22, Louisville at Louisville.

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